

The FIRST PART
OF THE
Justice of Peace
H I S
COMPANION;
O R,

A SUMMARY of all the
Acts of Parliament,
Whereby One, Two, or more Ju-
stices of the Peace, are authorized to
act, not only in, but out of the Ses-
sions of Peace.

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Alphabetically digested, and continued
to the End of the last Session of Par-
liament, 1729.

With an Exact TABLE,
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*Leges humane non aliud sunt quam regulæ, qui-
bus perfectè Justitia edocetur. Justitia verò hæc
subjectum est omnis Regalis curæ, quod sine illa
Rex justè non judicat, nec rectè pugnare potest.
Illâ vero adeptâ, perfectèque servatâ, æquissimè
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IN this Summary at one View may be seen what the Offence is, for which the Person accused ought to be punished, The Statute against which the Offence is committed, The Time, in which the Conviction is to be made, The Manner of Conviction, upon View, Confession, or by One or more Witnesses, The Penalty to be inflicted, and by whom, whether by One, Two, Three or more Justices out of Sessions, or in their Quarter-Sessions of the Peace.

THE General Heads and Table direct to the Pages, where not only the Statute, but the Chapter and Section, or Clause, from whence the Jurisdiction arises, may with great Ease and Readiness be found, and which in most Offences may be necessary to be consulted, it being much safer to proceed by the Statute at large, than by any Abridgment or Table, though never so exact.

AS the former Editions were undertaken for the Publick Service, with like Regard the present is made, and extends to the End of the last Sessions of Parliament, in an Alpha-

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betical Manner, by which much Time will be saved in the Use thereof, which was lost in the former Editions, by referring in the Table to the Statutes by Numbers, whereby the Clause wanted could not readily be found; whereas by this Method any Statute mentioned in this Book may be turned to immediately: Nor will the Addition of the Sections be less useful; for in long Statutes, for Want of Knowing the Section, as well as the Chapter, it was very difficult to find the Clause.

IN every Clause, where the Note of [One] [Two] [Three] [Four] [Five] [Six] or [Qu. Sess.] shall not be placed before it, the Jurisdiction is the same with that preceding it, where Noted, and so till it changes. As in Title Alehouses, Page 4. before the first Section is placed One, in a Saxon Character: All the succeeding Clauses to that in Page 7. beginning with To license, are to be put in Execution by One Justice: And from that, where Two is set before it, all those to that in Page 8. beginning with Persons selling, and before which Qu. Sess. is placed, are to be put in Execution by Two Justices, and from thence to the End of the Title Alehouses, by the Quarter-Sessions.

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JUSTICE's COMPANION.

Offences. Abjuration. Penalties.

Stat. 264. [One] **M**AY require a To abjure the
Popish Recusant, be- Realm before two
ing no Feme-Covert; Justices.

nor having Land,
worth 40 *Marks per*
Ann. or Goods worth
40 s.

Stat. 35 *Eliz. c. 2.*
Sect. 8.

[Two] *Popish Recu-*
sants (not being Feme-
Coverts, nor ha-
ving Lands worth 20
Marks per Ann. or
Goods worth 40 l.)
who do not within 40
Days

Shall before them
or the Coroner, if re-
quired by the Bishop,
one Justice or the Mi-
nister of the Parish,
abjure the Kingdom,
which Abjuration is
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Offences. **Abjuration.** *Penalties.*

Days after Conviction, repair to their usual Dwelling; or if they have none, to the Place of their Birth, or where their Father or Mother dwells; or shall remove above five Miles from thence; or do not submit within three Months.

Stat. 35 *Eliz. c. 2.*
Sect. 8, 9.

to be certified to the next Assises, or Gaol-Delivery.

To summon and convene before them, all such Persons within their Jurisdictions, &c. suspected to be dangerous or disaffected to the Government, and tender the Oath of Abjuration.

Upon Refusal.

Stat. 6 *Ann. c. 14.*
Sect. 7.

Quor' 1.

To certify the Christian Name, Surname, and Place of Abode, to the next Quarter-Sessions: If he takes it not next Term or Sessions after Certificate, is a Popish Recusant convicted.

In all Cases where-ever the Effect of the Abjuration Oath may be legally tendered or required of Quakers upon their solemn

Offences. **Abjuration.** *Penalties.*
 solemn Affirmation; they are to take it in
 the Form directed by the Stat. 1 Geo. c. 6.
 Sect. 3.

[*Qu. Sess*] *Note*, A Feme-Covert shall not
 be compelled to abjure. Every other Of-
 fender who abjures, or being required, re-
 fuseth so to do, shall forfeit all his Goods,
 and his Lands during Life.

Stat. 35 *Eliz. c. 1.* Sect. 12.

Alamodes and Lustrings.

[*Inf*] **T**O grant a Warrant to search
 for, and seise prohibited Ala-
 modes and Lustrings, upon Oath of one or
 more credible Person or Persons, that they
 have Reason to suspect, or believe, that
 there are some of the said Silks fraudulent-
 ly imported.

Stat. 9 & 10 *W. 3. c. 43.* Sect. 5.

Ale and Beer.

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**Alshouses, and Weights and
 Measures.**

Offences. Alehouses. Penalties.

[Dnc] **A**Lehouse-keepers, Inn-keepers, Vintners or Victuallers, suffering any of the same Parish to sit tripping in their Houses.

Stat. 1 *Fac.* 1. c. 9.
Sect. 2.

21 *Fac.* 1. c. 7.
Sect. 2.

1 *Car.* 1. c. 4.
Sect. 1.

One Witness, View or Confession; and after Confession his Oath may convict others.

Alehouse-keepers, Innkeepers, or Victuallers, selling less than one Quart for a Penny.

Stat. 1 *Fac.* 1. c. 9.
Sect. 3.

Stat.

Ten Shillings to be levied by Distress and Sale after six Days, and for Want of Distress, to be committed until Payment.

Disabled for three Years to keep any Alehouse.

If the Constables or Churchwardens do not levy the Penalty, or shall not certify the Want of Distress within 20 Days, he forfeits 40s. to be levied *ut supra* for the Poor.

Twenty Shillings, to be levied *ut supra*, and so employed.

And disabled, *ut supra*.

Constable, &c. punished, *ut supra*.

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Offences. Alehouses. Penalties.

Stat. 21 Jac. 1. c. 7.
Sect. 1.
Conviction *ut supra*.

Suspended during
the Continuance of
the additional Excise.
Stat. 1 W. & M. c.
24. Sect. 8.

Alehouse-keeper,
Inn keeper, Vintner,
or Victualler, suffer-
ing any Person what-
soever to sit tippling
in his House.

Ten Shillings to be
levied, employed, and
disabled, *ut supra*.

Stat. 1 Jac. 1. c. 9.
Sect. 2.
21 Jac. 1. c. 7.
Sect. 2.
1 Car. 1. c. 4.
Sect. 1.

View, or two Wit-
nesses.

Parishioners, or
others, who sit tip-
pling in any Alehouse,
Inn, Tavern, or Vic-
tualing-house.

Three Shillings and
four Pence, to be le-
vied and employed, *ut
supra*, to be paid in a
Week; if not able, to
sit in the Stocks four
Hours.

Stat. 4 Jac. 1. c. 5.
Sect. 5.
21 Jac. 1. c. 7.
Sect. 2.

Alehouse-keepers,
&c. disabled three
Years.

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View, or one Witness.

Constables, &c. neglect, 10 s. to be levied, *ut supra*, and so employed.

Alehouse-keeper, convicted of Drunkenness.

Disabled to keep an Alehouse for three Years.

Stat. 21 Jac. 1. c. 7. Sect. 4.

Conviction, *ut supra*.

Keeping an Alehouse without Licence.

Twenty Shillings to the Poor, to be levied *ut supra*, and for Want of Distress, to be whipp'd, for the first Offence.

Stat. 3 Car. 1. c. 3. Sect. 2.

View, Confession, or two Witnesses.

The Offender punished by this Act, not to be punished by 5 & 6 Ed. 6. c. 25.

For the second, to be committed to the House of Correction for a Month.

For the third, not to be enlarged there, but by Order of Sessions.

The Officer neglecting his Duty, to be imprisoned without Bail, or pay 40 s. for the Poor.

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Offences. Alehouses. Penalties.

Persons selling Ale and Beer in any Vessel not sign'd and marked *with W. R. and a Crown*, according to the Standard in the *Exchequer*, or City of *London*, and not full Measure.

Stat. 11 & 12 W. 3. c. 15. Sect. 1.

One Witness.

[Two] To license Alehouses, and take Recognizances, with Sureties, for good Order in the same; for which take 12 d. and no more.

Stat. 5 & 6 Ed. 6. c. 25. Sect. 1.

Quor. 1.

All Mayors, Town-Clerks, and other Persons whom it may concern, shall make, or cause to be made out Ale-Licences duly stamp'd before new

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Not above Forty Shillings, nor under Ten, to be levied by Distress and Sale.

One Moiety to the Poor, the other to the Prosecutor.

To certify such Recognizances the next Quarter-Sessions.

But no new Licences are now to be granted, but at a general Meeting of Justices, by Stat. 2 G. 2. c. 28. *Vide post. pag. 9 & 10.*

Ten Pounds for every Offence.

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Recognizances are
taken.

Stat. 6 Geo. c. 21.
Sect. 54.

To remove, discharge, and put away any
Alehouse, as they shall think fit and con-
venient.

Stat. 5 & 6 Ed. 6. c. 25. Sect. 1. *Quor.* 1.

Persons keeping
Alehouses, or selling
Beer and Ale without
Licence.

Stat. 5 & 6 Ed. 6.
c. 25. Sect. 4.

Quor. 1.

This extends not
to Fairs.

To be committed
for three Days with-
out Bail, and to enter
into a Recognizance,
with two Sureties,
before they be dis-
charged, not to of-
fend again.

This to be certified
to the Quarter-Ses-
sions, which is suffi-
cient Conviction to
fine him 20 s.

[Du. Str.] Persons
selling Ale or Beer
to an unlicensed Ale-
house-keeper, save on-
ly for the Expence
of his Household.

Stat. 4 Jac. 1. c. 4.
Sect. 1.

Six Shillings and
eight Pence a Barrel.
One Moiety to the
Prosecutor, the other
to the Poor.

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Double

Offences. **Alehouses.** *Penalties.*

The Officer who levies the Poor's Moiety, and does not deliver it to the Church-wardens and Overseers, and they not distributing it among the Poor.

Double the Value of the Moiety.

Stat. 4 Jac. 1. c. 4.
Sect. 5.

Note, The Act 12 Geo. 1. which grants a Duty (not less than 20s. nor more than 6 l. yearly) payable by Victuallers within the Weekly Bills, and leviable by special Commissioners authorized to grant Permissions or Licences for retailing Beer and Ale, (the not Taking out whereof incurs the Penalty of 20 l.) doth not restrain or diminish the Power of Justices of Peace there, in licensing and regulating Inn-keepers, Victuallers, and Retailers of Beer and Ale.

Stat. 12 Geo. 1. c. 12. Sect. 12. See Sect. 9.

And all Fines, &c. are to be levied according to the Laws of Excise. (See Tit. Excise.)

Ibid. Sect. 11.

But now, no new Licence to keep Inns or Alehouses, or to retail Brandy or Strong-Waters is to be granted, but at a general Meeting

Offences. Alchouses. Penalties.

Meeting of the Justices of the Division where the Party resides.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 28. Sect. 10.

Yet Licences already granted are to subsist and be valid until the 1st of September, 1750. Nor is the Method or Power of granting Licences for Inns, Alchouses, or Brandy-Shops, in any City or Town Corporate, hereby altered.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 28. Sect. 11.

See also Tit. Drunkenness.

Annuitant, &c.

[One] **T**O take an Oath, that the Nominee of the Annuitant was alive on the Day the Payment became due.

Stat. 2 Ann. c. 3. Sect. 23.

To take an Affidavit of the due Execution of an Assignment, or a Will made of an Annuity pursuant to

Stat. 4 Ann. c. 6. Sect. 28.

5 Ann. c. 19. Sect. 22.

6 Ann. c. 5. Sect. 15.

Vide Army Debentures.

Apprentices.

Offences. Apprentices. Penalties.

[One] **P**ersons fit to make Apprentices, refusing to serve upon demand.

Stat. 5 *Eliz.* c. 4.
Sect. 35.

To be committed till they shall be willing to serve.

To reconcile Differences between Masters and Apprentices: And if he cannot.

Stat. 5 *Eliz.* c. 4.
Sect. 35.

To bind over the Master to the Quarter-Sessions.

An Apprentice departing from his Master's Service into another Country.

Stat. 5 *Eliz.* c. 4.
Sect. 47.

To direct a *Capias* to the Sheriff, or other Chief Officer, for his Apprehension; and being taken, to commit him till he gives good Security, that he will honestly serve out his Time.

To convey poor Parish-Boys bound Apprentices, or turned over to Seamen, to the Port to which their Master belongs, as Vagrants

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Vagrants are to be sent by 11 & 12 W. 3. c. 18.

Stat. 2 Ann. c. 6. Sect. 10.

[TWO] To consent to binding Boys Apprentices till 24, and Girls till 21, or Marriage.

Stat. 43 Eliz. c. 2. Sect. 5.

Quor. 1.

Persons trusted with Monies to put out Apprentices, to account in *Easter-Week* yearly, before the two next Justices.

Stat. 7 Jac. 1. c. 3. Sect. 6.

Persons refusing to take an Apprentice put out by the Consent of two Justices, according to 43 Eliz.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 30. Sect. 5.

Ten Pounds to be levied by Distress and Sale to the Use of the Poor.

An Appeal lies to the Quarter-Sessions.

To consent to Church-wardens and Overseers of the Poor, binding and putting out to Sea-Service any Boy of ten Years of Age, who is chargeable, or whose Parents are chargeable to the Parish, or who shall beg for Alms, till he comes to 21, his Age to be mentioned in the Indenture, and 50 Shillings to be given with him.

Stat. 2 Ann. c. 6. Sect. 1.

Collectors

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Collectors of the Customs not entering the Indentures of Parish-Boys, bound to Sea, in a Book kept for that Purpose.

Stat. 2 *Ann.* c. 6.
Sect. 5.

Five Pounds to the Use of the Poor of the Parish whence the Boy was bound, to be levied by Distress and Sale.

To consent to the turning over Parish-Boys, bound Apprentices, according to 43 *Eliz.* to Masters and Owners of Ships, by Indenture of Assignment.

Stat. 2 *Ann.* c. 6. Sect. 6.

Every Master or Owner of a Ship of the Burthen of 30 to 50 Tun, not taking one such poor Boy Apprentice, one more for the next 50 Tun, one more for every 100 Tun above the first 100.

Stat. 2 *Ann.* c. 6.
Sect. 8.

Ten Pounds, for the Use of the Poor of the Parish whence such Boy was bound Apprentice, to be levied by Distress and Sale.

To inquire into, examine, hear, and determine all Complaints of hard or ill Usage, from

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from Masters to Parish-Boys bound Apprentices to Sea.

Stat. 2 *Ann.* c. 6. Sect. 12.

Collectors of Customs not keeping an exact Register, containing the Number, and Burden of all Ships and Vessels, and Masters and Owners Names, and the Names of Apprentices in each Ship, and from what Parishes and Places sent, and not transmitting true Copies thereof to the Quarter-Sessions, as often as they shall be required.

Stat. 2 *Ann.* c. 6. Sect. 13.

Five Pounds to be levied, and disposed, *ut supra.*

[Three] To certify, That Parents have 40 s. *per Ann.* and 3 l. *per Ann.* Freehold, to qualify their Children to be Apprentices to Merchants.

Stat. 5 *Eliz.* c. 4. Sect. 27.

[Four] To discharge Apprentices, under their Hands and Seals, if the Master be in fault;

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fault; and if the Apprentice be in fault, to inflict such Punishment, as they, in their Discretions, shall think fit.

Stat. 5 *Eliz.* c. 4. Sect. 35.

Quor. 1.

Note, The Practice now is, for one Justice to bind over the Master, at the Complaint of the Apprentice, to the next Sessions, and then four Justices to discharge, under their Hands and Seals; and upon Complaint of the Master against the Apprentice, to send the Apprentice to the House of Correction, if he will not agree to appear at the Sessions; and at the Sessions such Order is to be made, under the Hands and Seals of four Justices, as is just.

[*Qu. Sess.*] Persons taking Apprentices, otherwise than is limited by 5 *Eliz.* c. 4. except in *London* and *Norwich*.

Stat. 5 *Eliz.* c. 4. Sect. 40.

Ten Pounds, and the Indentures void.

Arms.

[*One*] **O**NE going or riding armed offensively;

To be apprehended and bound to the Peace or Good Behaviour,

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sively, before the King's Justices, or other his Officers or Ministers, or elsewhere, by Night or Day.	viour, and for Want of Sureties, to be committed, and his Arms to be taken away.	
Stat. 2 Ed. 3. c. 3.		
Sect. 3.		
7 R. 2. c. 13.		
Sect. 1. 20 R. 2. c. 1.		
Sect. 4.		
View or Complaint.		

Army Debentures.

[One] T O alter, or counterfeit any <i>Army Debenture</i> , or knowingly or fraudulently to make out, and issue any <i>Army Debentures</i> , other than by the Commissioners appointed by	Felony without Benefit of Clergy.
Stat. 6 Geo. c. 17.	
Sect. 7.	

1. To take an Affidavit of the due Execution of an Assignment of an *Annuity* at 4 per Cent. in Lieu of *Army Debentures*.

6 Geo. c. 17. Sect. 7.

Artificers,

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[Duc] **M**AY bind over to Assises, or Sessions, Artificers, about to go beyond Sea, and those who endeavour to withdraw them thither.

One Witness or Confession.

Stat. 5 Geo. c. 27.
Sect. 4.

[Qu. Sess.] Persons contracting with, enticing, endeavouring to persuade, or solicit any Manufacturer or Artificer in *Wool, Iron, Steel, Brass,* or any other *Metal, Clock maker, Watch-maker,* or any other Artificer of *Great Britain,* to go out of his Majesty's Dominions.

For Want of Sureties to be committed to Gaol.

To be fined not exceeding 100 Pounds for the first Offence, 3 Months Imprisonment, and until such Fine be paid.

For the second Offence to be fined at Discretion of the Court, 12 Months Imprisonment, and until such Fine be paid.

Prosc-

Offences.	Artificers.	Penalties.
nions. On Conviction.		Prosecution in 12 Months.
Stat. 5 Geo. c. 27. Sect. 1.		
Artificer convicted of any Promise or Contract, or Preparation to go abroad beyond the Seas.		To find Sureties not to depart out of his Majesty's Dominions, as the Court shall think fit. And for Want of Sureties to be committed <i>Quousque</i> .
Stat. 5 Geo. c. 27. Sect. 4.		

Attornies and Solicitors.

Qu. Sess. **N**OTE, the Forfeitures and Penalties of the Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 23. (*i. e.* 50*l.* on any who after 1. *De em.* 1730. shall Sue or Defend in any Cause, not being admitted and enrolled) may be su'd for and recover'd, not only in *Westminster-Hall*, &c. but also at the Assises or General Quarter-Sessions where the Offence was, by any who sues within 12 Months, with treble Costs of Suit; and no Effoin, Protection, or Wager of Law, and but one Imparlance; and not to be removed before Judgment, or stayed by any *Certiorari*, *Habeas Corpus*, or other Writ.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 23. Sect. 24, 25.

Badgers.

Offences. Badgers. Penalties.

<p>[Two] Purveyor, Badger, &c. bargaining for any Viſual or Grain, in the Markets of <i>Oxford</i> or <i>Cambridge</i>, or in five Miles or them.</p>	<p>Quadruple the Va- lue thereof, and three Months Imprison- ment without Bail. Except when the Queen is there, or within 7 Miles.</p>
<p>Stat. 2 & 3 P. & M. c. 15. Sect. 2. 13 Eliz. c. 21. Sect. 2.</p>	

[Three] To license a married Man, Houſ-
holder, and of 30 Years of Age at leaſt, to
be a Badger, Lader, Kidder, Carrier, Buy-
er or Transporter of Corn, Grain, Butter
and Cheeſe.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 12. Sect. 1.
Quor. 1.

<p>[Qu. Seſſ.] Badger, Lader, Kidder, Car- rier. Buyer or Trans- porter of Corn, or Grain, Butter and Cheeſe without Li- cencce granted in open Sessions of the Coun- ty,</p>	<p>Five Pounds be- tween the Queen and the Proſecutor. The Queen's Moi- ety to be eſtreated according to the u- ſual Manner, and the Proſecutor's levied by</p>
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ry, where he hath dwelt three Years, under the Hands and Seals of (at least) 3 Justices.

Quor. 1.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 12. Sect. 7.

Inquisition, or Verdict, or upon Oath of two Witnesses.

Badger, &c. buying Grain out of open Fair or Market (to sell again) unless there be special Words in his Licence to warrant the same.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 12. Sect. 7.

The Conviction, *ut supra.*

by *Fieri facias*, or *Capias*; but when the Suit is wholly the Queen's, the whole to be estreated.

Five Pounds, to be divided, *ut supra.*

At their Discretions, to take Recognisances of Badgers, &c. that they shall not forestall, or engross, or put in Practice any Act contrary to 5 & 6 Ed. 6. c. 14.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 12. Sect. 6.

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Bail.

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[Two] **T**O Bail for Manslaughter, or Felony, or Suspicion thereof (beingailable by Law) and being both present at the Time of such Bailment: But they must first take the Examination of the Accused, and the Informations of the Accusers, and Witnesses. *London and Middlesex* Justices may Bail, as before the Statute.

Stat. 1 & 2 P. & M. c. 13. Sect. 6.

Quor. 1.

Bailiffs.

[One] **T**HE Defendant in the *County-Court*, not having lawful Summons, the Bailiff being found faulty.

Stat. 11 H. 7. c. 15.
Sect. 6, 8.

Forty Shillings to be divided between the King and the Prosecutor.

To examine this Matter, and if the Party be found guilty, to certify the Examination into the Exchequer within 3 Months, in Pain of 40 s.

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Bailiffs.

Penalties.

The Certificate is
a Conviction.

Vide Titles

County Court and Streets.

Bakers and Bread.

[One] **B**akers, and others making, baking, or exposing to Sale Bread, not observing the Assise, or under Weight, or not duly marked, or breaking such Regulations and Orders as are made by the Justices from Time to Time.

Stat. 8 *Ann. c.* 18.
Sect. 3.

Confession or one Witness.

Prosecution within three Days. Sect. 5.

40s. to be levied by Distress and Sale, to be given to the Informer.

The Convictions to be certified to the next Quarter-Sessions.

Sect. 4.

There lies an Appeal to the next Quarter-Sessions.

Sect. 6.

Vide the Table of the Assise of Bread, annex'd to the Statute at large.

Bakers,

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Bakers, or Sellers of Bread, putting in to any Bread, sold or exposed to Sale, any Mixture of any other Grain, than what shall be appointed by the Assize.

Stat. 8 *Ann. c.* 18. Sect. 7.

20 s. to be had, and recovered, *ut supra.*

Mayor, Alderman, Justice, on any Information made to him of any Offence against this Act, wilfully omitting the Performance of his Duty, forfeits 20 s. to be recover'd by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint, or Information.

In the Day-time, to enter into any House, Shop, Stall, Bakehouse, Warehouse or Outhouse of any Baker or Seller of Bread, to search for, view, weigh and try all or any the Bread there found; and if the Bread be wanting in the Goodness of the Stuff, or deficient in due baking or working, or wanting in Weight, or not truly marked, or any other Sort than what is allowed, the same Bread to be seised, and given to the Poor.

Stat. 8 *Ann. c.* 18. Sect. 8.

Any Baker, or others, not permitting or suffering a Search; or opposing,

40 s. to be recovered, and given, *ut supra.*

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sing, hindring, or resisting the same.

Stat. 8 *Ann.* c. 18.
Sect. 5.

The Penalty of 40 Shillings by 8 *Ann.* c. 18. on Bakers, for Want of Weight of Bread, is reduced to 5 s. per Ounce, for every Ounce wanting in Weight, and 2 s. 6 d. if under. The Bread to be weighed before a Magistrate or Justice in 24 Hours after baked or expos'd to Sale in London and Westminster, and Bills of Mortality, and in three Days every where else.

Stat. 1 *Geo.* c. 26.
Sect. 5.

Forfeiture to the Informer, to be adjudged, levied, and recover'd as the 40 s. Penalty is by 8 *Ann.* c. 18.

Note, By this Statute no Mark seems now necessary; and Bakers may make and sell Peck, Half-peck, Quartern, and Half-quartern

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quartern Loaves, if in Proportion to the Assise Table in Weight and Price.

Stat. 1. Geo. 1. c. 26. Sect. 6.

And the *Clerk of the Market* is to certify upon Oath to the chief Magistrate or Justices, the Price of Grain, Meal and Flour, every Time the Assise is alter'd.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 26. Sect. 7.

Note; The Act 8 Ann. c. 18. was continu'd by Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 26. for three Years, and to the End of the next Sessions, and further continued for 5 Years, and to the End of the next Sessions, by 5 Geo. 1. c. 25. Sect. 1. and afterwards for 7 Years, and to the End of the next Sessions, by 10 Geo. 1. c. 17.

[*Two*] In Towns and Places where there is no Mayor, Bailiffs, Aldermen or Chief Magistrates, from Time to Time, to set, ascertain, and appoint the Assise and Weight of all Sorts of Bread, having Respect to the Price, Grain, Meal or Flower, bears in the Publick Markets, and to make a reasonable Allowance to the Bakers, for Charges, Pains and Livelihoods: The Assise according to Averdupois, and not Troy-Weight.

Stat. 8 Ann. c. 18. Sect. 1.

Offences. Bakers and Bread. Penalties.

May licence and allow Bakers to bake and sell such Sorts of Bread as they shall think fit.

Stat. 8 *Ann. c.* 18. Sect. 1.

To direct and appoint how, and in what Manner, each Sort of Bread shall be marked, for knowing the Baker, or Maker, Price, Weight, and Sort thereof; and to make and set down any other reasonable Rules and Orders for the better regulating the Mystery of baking Bread, and the Sorts, Assise, Price and Weight thereof, and all Things concerning the same, as in their Judgments they shall find necessary and convenient.

Stat. 8 *Ann. c.* 18. Sect. 3.

[*Qu. Sess.*] Upon an Appeal by Bakers, or others, convicted for Making, Baking, or Exposing to Sale, Bread, contrary to Stat. 8 *Ann. c.* 18. the Sessions to hear, and finally determine the same; and if the Appellant be not relieved, to pay reasonable Costs, and be committed to the Common Gaol, till he pay the Penalty and the Costs. If he be relieved upon his Appeal, the Informer to pay reasonable Costs.

Stat. 8 *Ann. c.* 18. Sect. 6.

Note; The Stat. 8 *Ann. c.* 18. does not extend to prejudice any Right or Custom of
London

Offences. Bakers and Bread. Penalties

London or the Practice there used, nor Lords of Leets, nor *Clerk of the Market.* *Seft.* 10.

And the Justices in their Charges are to enforce and press the Execution of the said Statute. *Seft.* 12.

Vide Title Conspiracies.

Bank of England. *Vide Felony.*

Bankrupt.

[One] **U**PON Application may grant his Warrant for the taking and apprehending a Person certified a Bankrupt, and may commit such Person to the Common Gaol of the County where apprehended.

Stat. 5 *Geo.* 1. c. 24. *Seft.* 4.

A Bankrupt not delivering up to the Commissioners all his Goods, Wares, Books, &c. (and being thereof convicted by Indictment or Information) is Guilty of Felony, without the Benefit of Clergy.

Ibid. *Seft.* 1. and 3.

But this Stat. &c. is now expired.

Offences.**Bastards.****Penalties.**

[One] **O**NE who is suspected, or charg'd to be the Father of a Bastard-Child, which is likely to become chargeable to the Parish.

The Woman to be examined, and her Examination put in Writing.

Such Person as shall have any Hand by Perswasion, Procurement, or otherwise, in conveying or sending away a putative Father.

Dalt. c. 11. p. 39.

[Two] After a Bastard Child is born, which is, or is likely to become chargeable to the Parish.

Stat. 18 *Eliz. c. 3.*
Sect. 2.

7 *Jac. 1. c. 4.*
Sect. 7.

Quor. 1.

Is either before or after the Birth to be bound to the Good Behaviour, till Order be made by two Justices, according to
18 *Eliz. c. 3.*

Dalt. Justice (Edit. 1715) c. 11. p. 39.

To be bound to the Good Behaviour, and so to the next Gaol-Delivery, (before the Judges of Assise) or to the next Qu. Sessions.

In or next to the Limits of such Parish-Church, to examine the Cause and Circumstances, and to make an Order for the Relief of the Parish, in Part, or in all, and keeping the Child, by charging

Offences.

Bastards.

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charging Father or Mother with weekly Payments, or other Relief, as also for Punishment of Father and Mother.

Lewd Women having Bastard-Children which may be chargeable to the Parish.

Stat. 7 Jac. 1. c. 4. Sect. 7.

To be committed to the House of Correction, there to be punished, and set to Work one whole Year; for the second Offence, to be committed, till they find good Security for their Good Behaviour, not to offend again.

To order Church-wardens and Overseers to seise Goods and Profits of Lands of a putative Father, and lewd Mother of a Bastard-Child, towards Discharge of the Parish, to be confirmed at the Sessions.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 12. Sect. 19.

Offences. Bastards. Penalties.

[Qu. Sess.] To do all Things concerning Bastards, begot out of lawful Matrimony, that by Justices of Peace, in their several Counties, are by the Stat. of 18 Eliz. c. 3. limited to be done.

Stat. 3 Car. 1. c. 4. Sect. 15.

Bedford Level.

<p>[Two] Breaking down, or any Ways hindring, or laying open the Inclosures in Bedford Level.</p>	<p>20 l. to be levied by Distress and Sale.</p>
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Stat. 15 Car. 2. c. 17.
Sect. 13.

Two Witnesses.

Beer and Ale.

[Qu. Sess.] **T**HE Rates and Prices of Beer and Ale to be set by the Justices, at their Discretions.

Stat. 23 H. 8. c. 4. Sect. 5.

Retailers of Beer. Vide Title Excise.

Beggars. Vide Vagabonds.

Willers.

Offen. Blasphemous Words. Penal.

Billets. Vide Fuel.

Blasphemous Words.

[Dnf] **T**O take an Information of Blasphemous Words, within four Days after the Words spoken, and not afterwards.

The Prosecution to be in three Months after the Information.

Stat. 9 & 10 W. 3. c. 32. Sect. 2.

Bone-Lace.

[Dnf] **U**Pon Information given, to issue his Warrant to Constables, &c. to search for foreign Bone-lace, Cut-work, Embroidery, Fringe, Band-strings, Buttons, or Needle-work of Thread or Silk, and to seize them.

The Person selling or offering them to Sale, forfeits 50 l. and the Goods: And the Person importing, 100 l. and the Goods. One Moiety to the King, the other to him that sues in any Court of Record.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 13. Sect. 3.

Offences. Bone Lace. Penalties.

Repealed as to Lace made of Thread in all Places, but the Dominion of the *French* King and the Duke of *Anjou*, by
Stat. 5 *Ann.* c. 17.

Books.

[One] **T**O grant a Warrant to search for any Book, taken out of any Parochial Library, and, if found, to restore it.
Stat. 7 *Ann.* c. 14. Sect. 10.

Boots. Vide Shoemakers.

Brandp, &c.

<p>[One] NOne to sell or expose to sale, Brandp, Strong-Waters, &c. about the Streets, or on the Water, or on any Bulk, &c. or any where but in the Party's Dwelling-house.</p>	<p>10 l. on Confession, or Oath of one Witness, and Complaint within one Month; one Moiety to the Informer, the other to the Poor.</p>
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Stat. 2 *Geo.* 2. c. 17.
Sect. 17.

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Offences *Brandy, &c.* *Penalties.*

On Refusal of Payment, or not having whereon it may be levied.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 17.
Sect. 17.

Commitment to hard Labour for not less than one, nor more than three Months.

[Two] Brandy imported without Entry, is forfeited by 15 Car. 2. and may be adjudged against the Importer, or Proprietor, by two Justices.

Stat. 15 Car. 2. c. 11. Sect. 17.

To take the Oaths of Distillers, and others, That Brandy or Strong-Waters, intended to be exported, was drawn from Drink brewed from malted Corn, without any Mixture; and that the same is not mixed with Low-Wines, nor drawn a second Time, nor with any other Spirits, or Brandy, made from any other Materials; and that the Duties of the same are enter'd and paid; and that the same are exported for Merchandize.

Stat. 2 W. & M. c. 9. Sect. 6.

[Qu. Sess.] New Licences to retail Brandy, Strong-Waters, &c. to be granted at a general Meeting or Sessions of Justices.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 28. Sect. 10. See Ale-houses.

Offences. Brandy, &c. Penalties.

A Clause in the Act 5 Geo. 1. against clandestine Running of uncustomed Goods, &c. which relates to the Importation of Foreign Brandy, Arrack, Rum, Strong-Waters, or Spirits, revived and continued till 29 September, 1734. and End of the next Session.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 28. Sect. 1. See Smugglers, &c.

See also Brandy in Title Excise.

Brass.

[Qu. Sess.] **A**T their Michaelmas-Sessions, yearly to appoint Searchers of Brass and Pewter.

Stat. 19 H. 7. c. 6. Sect. 15.

Brewers. Vide Title Excise.

Bricks and Pantiles.

<p>[Qu. Sess.] EArth for making Bricks, &c. to be dug and turn'd between the 1st of November and the 1st of February, and not made</p>	<p>20 s. for every Thousand of Bricks, and 10 s. for every Thousand of Pantiles, made contrary to either of the said Statutes; by Suit at West-</p>
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Offen. Bricks and Pantiles. Penalties.

made into Bricks, &c. till after the 1st of *March*. And no Bricks to be made but between the 1st of *March* and 1st of *September*, and burnt in Kilns or distinct Clamps. And when burnt, not less than nine Inches long, two Inches and a Half thick, and four and a Quarter wide: And Pantiles made for Sale, when burnt, to be 13 Inches and a Half long, 9 Inches and a Half wide, and Half an Inch thick.

Stat. 12 *Geo. 1. c. 35.*
Sect. 1. and 2 *Geo. 2. c. 15. Sect. 1.*

When Ground within 15 Miles of *London* is dug for Bricks, &c. the Owners are to uncallow and take off the Soil, Mould, Dirt, or Compost, till they come to the real
Brick.

Westminster. One Moiety to the Prosecutor, and the other to the Poor of the Parish where the Offence is.
Ibid. Ibid.

Prosecution to be within one Year, and none to be twice convicted for one Offence.

Stat. 2 *Geo. 2. c. 15. Sect. 2.*

The same Penalties, recoverable *ut supra.*

Offen. Bricks and Pantiles. Penalties.

Brick Earth, and no
such Mould, Soil, &c.
shall be mixed or
used therewith.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 15.
Sect. 3.

[Qu. Sess.] The Company of Tilers and Bricklayers, who, within *London*, and 15 Miles, were by Stat. 12 Geo. 1. c. 35. im- powered to search Earth, and inspect the Making of Bricks and Tiles, and to levy Penalties, &c. are devested of their said Powers. And the Quarter-Sessions for *Lon- don*, or within 15 Miles, are to appoint 3 or more Searchers, who are in the Day- time to enter Grounds, Sheds, and Places where Earth is dug, or Bricks or Pantiles made or making, or exposed to Sale, and search and inspect the same.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 15. Sect. 1.

And the Justices of other Counties at *Easter* Quarter- Ses- sions, are to nomi- nate two or more Searchers of Earth, Bricks, &c. who are twice a Year to pre- sent to the Quarter- Sessions,

And on Convic- tion or Refusal to appear, the Penal- ties *supra* to be le- vied, and distributed by the Justices; one Moiety to the Prose- cutors, and the other to

Offen. Bricks and Pantiles. Penalties.

Sessions, Offences against the said Act 12 Geo. 1. c. 35. Where- to the Parties shall appear on Summons.

Stat. 12 Geo. 1. c. 35. Sect. 3.

Searchers to have of the Makers, for Bricks or Pantiles searched.

Ibid. Sect. 4.

[Qu. Sess.] To inquire of the Defaults of Searchers, and

Ibid. Sect. 5.

to the Poor where the Offender lives.

Ibid. Sect. 5.

A Half-penny a Thousand for Bricks, and a Penny a Thousand for Pantiles.

Ibid. Sect. 4.

Fine them, not exceeding 10 l.

Ibid. Sect. 5.

Bidle-Cutters. Vide Tanner.

Bridges.

[Qu. Sess.] **T**O assess, towards the Repair of Bridges, every Town, Parish, and Place, as they have been usually assessed, to be collected by the Constables, or such Treasurer, and in such Manner as the Justices shall appoint. The Assessments to be levied by Distress and Sale,

Offences. Bridges. Penalties.

Sale, upon Persons not paying in 10 Days after Demand.

Stat. 1 Ann. Sess. 1. c. 18. Sect. 2.

Constables, &c. neglecting to collect Monies assess'd for Repair of Bridges: Or to pay the Money collected to the High Constable in six Days after Receipt of the same.

Stat. 1 Ann. Sess. 1. c. 18. Sect. 5.

Forty Shillings.

Treasurer, paying Money assess'd for Repair of Bridges, except by Order of Sessions.

Stat. 1 Ann. Sess. 1. c. 18. Sect. 6.

Five Pounds.

Have Power to allow Persons concerned in the Execution of the Stat. 1 Ann. Sess. 1. c. 18. Three-pence per Pound. *ibid.* Sect. 9.

Note; No Fine for not repairing Bridges and Highways shall be returned into the Ex-

Offences. **Bridges.** *Penalties.*

Exchequer, &c. But to be returned to the Treasurer, and applied by the Justices towards the Repair of Bridges and Highways.

Buggery.

[One] **B**uggery, | Felony.
by Stat.
25 H. 8. c. 6. Sect. 2. |

Buildings.

[Two] **O**wner, Head-Builders, or Workmen, not building Houses according to the Stat. 6 Ann. c. 31. Sect. 4. (which see in Tit. Five) who shall on or before 29 Sept. 1727. make good their Defects, and pay the Informers their Costs of Suit (whereon no Conviction was) settled by three Justices, are discharged from the Penalties of that Stat.

If the Defects are not made good, and Costs paid on thirty Days Notice, forfeits double the Penalties of the Stat. 6 Annæ, and the Conviction for the Forfeitures, which by that Stat. was to be before One, is now to be before two Justices.

Appeal lies within six Days. *Ibid.*

Offences. **Buildings.** *Penalties.*

Stat. by Stat. 11 Geo. |
1. cap. 28. Sect. 8. |

[Qu. Sess.] Builders of Houses in *London, Westminster, &c.* (except on *London-Bridge*, or the *Thames Side* below Bridge) intending to pull down any Partition-Wall between that and the adjoining House, to give three Months Notice in Writing of such Intent (if the Owner of such adjoining House will not agree), That before it be pull'd down, it may, within one Month after the Notice, be view'd by four, or more, skilful Workmen (two to be named by each Party) who are to certify to the Quarter-Sessions, that such Party-Wall is defective, &c. and if any Person is aggrieved by such Certificate, the Justices there may examine the said Workmen, and others, on Oath, and make final Orders therein.

Stat. 11 Geo. 1. c. 28. Sect. 1.

And if within three Days after such Certificate there be no Appeal, and the Owner of the House doth not shoar and support it within six Days after, the Builder may do it, at the Owner's Charge, and build up a new Party-Wall. And in ten Days after he is to leave a Note thereof with the said Owner, who is to pay one Half of the Expence, (or his Tenant may pay it, and deduct it out of his Rent), and not being

paid

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paid in 21 Days after Demand, may be sued for (as also other Penalties in the said Act) in *Westminster-Hall*.

Stat. 11 Geo. 1. c. 28. Sect. 2, 3, 4.

The first Builder giving three Months Notice to the Owner of an adjoining House, may pull down the old Timber Walls or Partitions, and build new Brick Party-Walls, and be paid for the same, *ut supra*; and subject to such Appeal, *ut supra*.

But where Houses are built on new Foundations, no second Builder shall take Benefit of such Party-Wall, nor lay any Timber, or cut any Hole therein.

Ibid. Sect. 4, 5, &c.

Bullion.

[One] **P**ersons having unlawful Bullion, if they cannot prove on Oath, that the said Bullion before the Melting thereof, was not current Coin, or Clippings.

To be committed to Prison, in order to be tried upon an Indictment for Melting the Current Coin of this Realm. And in case they do not make such Proof, to be committed for six Months.

*Offences.***Bullion.***Penalties.*

[Two] To enter the House, &c. of any Person suspected, and to search for unlawful Bullion, and, with the Assistance of a Constable, to break open the Door, Box, Trunk, Chest, &c. to search for, and discover the same, which if they find, they are to seise; and to carry the Person in whose Custody it is found before the next Justice.

Stat. 6 & 7 W. 3. c. 17. Sect. 8.

Burials.

[One] **W**HEN any Person is buried, if no Person doth within 8 Days after Interment, bring an *Affidavit* to the Minister, &c. that the Person was buried in Woollen, upon a Certificate of this from the Minister.

Stat. 30 Car. 2. c. 3.
Sect. 4.

Five Pounds to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Party's Goods; if he has none, of the Person where the Party died, or of any other who put the Party into the Coffin.

Master's Goods liable for the Servants.

Parents for Children.

One Moiety to the Poor, the other to the Informer.

Affida-

Offences. **Burials.** *Penalties.*

Affidavits of Burying in Woollen to be taken by one Justice of the Peace ; but where no Justice of the Peace shall reside, or be to be found in any Parish where the Party is to be interred, there the Parsons, Vicars, and Curates, (other than of the Parish or Place where the Party is interred) may take such Affidavits.

Stat. 30 Car. 2. c. 3. Sect. 5.

32 Car. 2. c. 1. Sect. 3.

[*Qu. Sess.*] To give in Charge the Afts for burying in Woollen.

Stat. 30 Car. 2. c. 3. Sect. 8.

Burgesses. Vide *Wages.*

Butcher.

[*One*] **B** Utcher killing or selling any Victual upon the *Lord's Day*.

View, Confession, or two Witnesses.

Stat. 3 Car. 1. c. 1. Sect. 3.

Six Shillings and Eight-pence to be levied by Distress, &c.

A Third to the Informer, the Rest to the Poor.

[*Two*] Butcher, or other Person, wilfully or negligently gashing

2 s. 6 d. for every Hide, 1 s. for every Calve-Skin.

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Offences.

Butcher.

Penalties.

gashing, slaughtering, or cutting the raw Hide of any Ox, Bull, Steer, or Cow, or the Skin of any Calf, or being so gashed, &c. offering the same to Sale.

To summon the Party accused, and the Witnesses on either Side; Party appearing or not, to examine Witnesses on Oath, and determine.

Prosecution in three Months.

An Appeal lies to next Sessions.

Stat. 9 *Ann. c. 11.*
Sect. 45.

No *Certiorari* to be allowed, but Justice's Determination to be final.

[*Qu. Sell.*] If any Butcher in *London* or *Westminster*, or in 10 Miles thereof, buy fat Cattle, and sell them again, alive or

One Moiety to the Poor, the other to the Informer, to be levied by Distress and Sale, if not redeemed in 6 Days, rendering the Overplus, if any.

Justices may mitigate, so as the reasonable Costs and Charges in prosecuting being allowed over and above such Mitigation, and so as the Penalty be not reduced to less than one 4th Part.

To continue for 32 Years.

Forfeits the Value of such Cattle, to be divided between the King and Prosecutor, the King's Moiety to be estreated, the Prosecutor

Offences. **Butcher:** *Penalties.*

or dead, to another Butcher.

Stat. 22 & 23 Car.
2. c. 19. Sect. 3.

Prosecution in six Months.

Butcher gashing any Hides.

Stat. 1 Jac. 1. c.
22. Sect. 2.

Butcher watering of Hides, except in June, July, or August, or putting them to Sale, being putrified. *Ibid.*

secutor's to be levied by *Fieri fac* or *Cap'*.

May proceed, notwithstanding any *Certiorari*.

20d. for every Hide, to be divided one Third to the King, one to the Prosecutor, and the other to the City, Borough, Town, or Lord of the Liberty where the Offence is committed.

3 s. 4 d. a Hide, to be divided, *ut supra*.

Vide **Tanner.**

Butter

Offences. Butter and Cheese Penalties.

[One] Importers of
Butter and
Cheese out of *Ireland*.

Stat. 32 Car. 2. c. 2.
Sect. 9.

Persons exchanging, or opening a Cask of Butter, sealed or marked by the Factor, or Buyer, or the Cask changed, or bad Butter pack'd up and mix'd with Good; and every Fraud committed by the Seller.

Confession, or one Witness.

Stat. 4 & 5 W. &
M. c. 7. Sect. 3.

Warehouse-keepers, Weighers, Searchers, or Shippers in any Port, refusing to receive Butter and Cheese, or to take Care thereof,

Liabie to the Seizure and Penalties, as Importers of Cattle.

Vide Title Cattle.

Twenty Shillings for every Firkin, and Offence, to be levied by Distress and Sale.

One Half to the Poor, the other to the Informer.

Ten Shillings for every Firkin, of Butter, and two Shillings for every Weigh of Cheese.

To be levied by Distress and Sale, and

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of, or to ship the same successively.

Ibid. Sect. 4.

Conviction, *ut supra.*

Warehouse-keepers, &c. not keeping Books, and making Entries of Butter and Cheese, or making untrue Entries, or refusing in the Day-time to produce the Books to be search'd.

Stat. 4 & 5 W. & M. c. 7. Sect. 5.

Conviction, *ut supra.*

Masters of Vessels coming to lade Butter and Cheese, or their Servants refusing to take on Board any Butter and Cheese, as shall be tender'd to be shipped, by any Warehouse-keeper, &c. before their Vessels be laden.

Stat.

and employed, *ut supra.*

2 s. 6 d. for every Firkin of Butter. The same for every Weigh of Cheese, and every other Offence.

To be levied by Distress and Sale, and employed, *ut supra.*

For Want of Distress to be committed till Payment.

Five Shillings for every Firkin of Butter, and two Shillings and Six-pence for every Weigh of Cheese.

To be levied and employed, *ut supra.*

Note ; This extends not to the Counties of *Chester* and *Lan-*

Offences. Butter and Cheese. Penalties.

Stat. 4 & 5 W. & M. c. 7. Sect. 6.	Lan: after, or the City of Chester.
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Upon an Appeal, the Appellant is to give Bond of 20 Pounds, with one or more Sureties, to the Liking of a Justice, to pay such Costs as the Court shall award, in one Month, after the Appeal is heard.

Ibid. Sect. 10.

[Qu. Sell.] May restrain the Retailers of Butter and Cheese.

Stat. 21 Jac. 1. c. 22. Sect. 7.

The Retailer, during the Time of that Restraint, is under the Penalties of 3 & 4 Ed. 6. c. 21. and 5 & 6 Ed. 6. c. 14. against Forestall-ers, &c.

Where the Kilderkin of Butter weighs less than one hundred and twelve Pounds, 16 Ounces to the Pound; Firkin less than 56, Pot less than 14, besides Casks and Pots, or where old and corrupt Butter is put up with new and sound, or Whey-Butter with Butter

The Value of the Butter false pack'd, and six times the Value of every Pound wanting.

One Moiety to the Poor, where the Offence is committed, the other to the Informer, besides his double Costs.

Offences. Butter and Cheese. Penalties.

Butter made of Cream,
or Butter is salted
with great Salt, or
more Salt than will
preserve it.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car.
2. c. 26. Sect. 2.

Prosecution in 4
Months.

[Qu. Sess.] Sellers
of Butter, not deli-
vering the Quanti-
ties aforesaid in e-
very Kilderkin, &c.
Ibid. Sect. 3.

Repackers of But-
ter for Sale.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car.
2. c. 26. Sect. 4.

Prosecution, *ut su-
pra.*

If Butter for Sale
be not pack'd in
Casks of sound, dry,
well-season'd Tim-
ber, mark'd with the
Weight of the emp-
ty Cask, and the first
Letters of their Chri-
stian

To make Satisfac-
tion at the Price for
which it was sold.

Prosecution in four
Months.

Double the Value
to be divided, *ut su-
pra.*

And to pay Costs,
ut supra.

Ten Shillings for
every 100 Weight,
and so for greater or
lesser Quantities.

To be divided, and
pay Costs, *ut supra.*

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stian Names and Surnames at length, with an Iron Brand.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car.

2. c. 26. Sect. 5.

Prosecution, *ut supra*.

[Qu. Sect] Potters exposing to Sale Pots for packing Butter without the Weight of it, and without the first Letter of the Christian Name, and Surname at length.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car.

2. c. 26. Sect. 6.

Prosecution, *ut supra*.

Persons exposing Butter to Sale in Pots not mark'd, *ut supra*.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car.

2. c. 26. Sect. 6.

Prosecution, *ut supra*.

One Shilling for every Pot.

To be divided and pay Costs, *ut supra*.

Two Shillings for every Pot.

To be divided and pay Costs, *ut supra*.

Vide Badgers.

Buttons.

Buttons and Button-holes.

Offences.

[One] Importers, Barterers, Sellers, or Exchangers of foreign Buttons, made of Hair, or other foreign Buttons whatsoever.

Stat. 4 & 5 W. & M. c. 10. Sect. 2.

Tailors, or others, making, selling, setting on, using, or binding, on any Clothes, Buttons, or Button-holes, made, used, or bound with Cloth, Serge, Drugget, Frize, Camblet, &c.

One Witness.

Stat. 4 Geo. c. 7. Sect. 1.

Not to extend to Clothes made of Velvet. Sect. 2.

Penalties.

Forfeits them, and is liable to the Penalties in 14 Car. 2. c. 13. for importing Bone-lace. Vide Title Bone-lace.

Forfeit 40 Shillings for every Dozen of such Buttons and Button-holes so made, &c. or in Proportion for any lesser Quantity.

Between the Poor, where, &c. and the Informer. And if not paid in 14 Days, to be levied by Distress. And if no Distress, to be committed to hard Labour for three Calendar Months. Sect. 5.

Persons

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Buttons and Button-holes.**Offences.**

Persons being in Gaol, or within the Rules or Liberties of any Gaol or House of Correction, or inhabiting in Privileg'd Places, or Liberties of the same, committing any Offence against

Stat. 4 Geo. 1. c. 7.
Sect. 3.

Clothes made with Buttons and Button-holes of the same Cloth, &c. exposed to Sale in Fairs, Markets, Shops, Warehouses, or Dwelling-houses.

Taylor, or others, causing his or their Apprentice, or Servant, to make any Clothes with Cloth Buttons and Button-holes, if intitled to the Monies for making them.

Stat.

Penalties.

Subject to the same Penalties, *ut supra*.

Forfeited, and may be seized and applied, *ut supra*.

Stat. 4 Geo. 1. c. 7.
Sect. 8.

Liable to the same Penalties, *ut supra*.

Buttons and Button-holes.**Offences.****Penalties.**

Stat. 4 Geo. 1. c. 7. |
 Sect. 9.

Note; All Offences against the Stat. 4 Geo. 1. c. 7. to be prosecuted in three Months after committed or discovered. Sect. 4.

No Person whatsoever in *Great Britain* after 29 September, 1722. to use or wear on any Clothes, Garments, or Apparel whatsoever, any Buttons or Button-holes made of or bound with Cloth, Serge, Drugget, Frize, Camlet, or any Stuffs whereof Cloaths or wearing Garments are usually made.

One or more credible Witnesses, or Confession.

Stat. 7 Geo. 1. c. 12.
 Sect. 1.

Note; One or more Justices to summon the

On Forfeiture of 40 Shillings for every Dozen of such Buttons or Button-holes so us'd or worn; or in Proportion for every lesser Quantity. Sect. 1.

To be levied by Distress and Sale. One Moiety to the Person on whose Oath any Person shall be convicted. The other to the Poor, where the Offence was committed. Sect. 2.

Buttons and Button-holes.

Offences.

the Party accused,
and upon his Ap-
pearance or Confes-
sion to proceed to
examine the Matter
of Fact, and deter-
mine the same.

Ibid. Sect. 2.

Penalties.

The Prosecution must be in one Month
after the Offence is committed. Sect. 4.

Note; An Appeal lies to the next General
Quarter-Sessions, (giving eight Days Notice
at least to the Prosecutor,) whose Judgment
is final. *Ibid.* Sect. 3.

The above Stat. does not extend to Vel-
vet. Sect. 5.

[Two] Taylor or o-
ther Person making,
selling, setting on,
using, or binding, on
any Clothes, But-
tons, or Button-
holes, made with
Serge, Stuff, Drug-
get, or any other
Stuff, or causing
them

Five Pounds for e-
very Dozen so made,
&c. to be levied, one
Moiety to the Queen,
the other to him who
sues by Action of
Debt, &c. But *Que-
re*; For that Act says
only, That they shall
levy the Penalty, but
does

Buttons and Button-holes.

Offences.

Penalties.

them so to be made.	does not direct the
Stat. 8 Ann. c. 6.	Manner.

Sect. 1. (See 4 Geo. 1.
c. 75.)

May Appeal to
Quarter-Sessions.

[Qu. Sess.] Upon an Appeal against the Order of two Justices upon Complaint made against Taylors for making, &c. Cloth Buttons, &c. To order the Appellant to pay reasonable Costs, if he be not relieved upon his Appeal.

Stat. 8 Ann. c. 6. Sect. 2.

Persons aggriev'd by the Order of one Justice, on Conviction for Offences against the Stat. 4 Geo. c. 7. may, on giving sufficient Notice, appeal, &c.

Sect. 6.

Sessions to allow such Costs and Charges to the Party grieved, as they shall think reasonable, to be levied and paid as in other Cases of Appeals. Their Award is final.

Offences. Cards and Dice. Penalties.

[Dut.] **T**O take the Affidavit of any Person or Persons, declaring the Grounds of his or their Knowledge, or Suspicion, That playing Cards or Dice, are made or caused to be made in any House or Place in *Great Britain*, without Notice thereof in Writing given to the Commissioners of the Stamp-Duties, at their head Office.

Stat. 6 Geo. I. c. 21. Sect. 57.

Upon Affidavit as
aforesaid, to grant
his Warrant, directed
to an Officer of the
Duties on Cards and
Dice, to empower him
in the Day-time, and
in Presence of a Con-
stable to break open
the Door, or any
Part of such House
or Place where Cards
or Dice are so as
aforesaid suspected
to be made, or ma-
king, and to enter
such House or Place,
and to seise all
such

Cards, Dice, Tools,
and Materials, are
forfeited, unless
claimed or replevi-
ed by the Owner in
five Days after Sei-
sure.

To be sold by Di-
rection of the Com-
missioners.

One Moiety to the
King, the other to
the Party who dis-
covers the same.

Offences. Cards and Dice. Penalties.

such Cards, Dice, Tools, or Materials for making the same. And to detain and keep the same in such House or Place as the Commissioners of the Stamps shall direct.

Stat. 6 Geo. c. 21.
Sect. 57.

Callicoes.

[One] **N**O Person whatsoever, after 25 December, 1722. to use or wear in *Great Britain*, in any Garment or Apparel whatsoever, any printed, painted, stained, or died Callicoe.

Confession, or one or more credible Witnesses.

Prosecution in six Days.

Stat. 7 Geo. 1. c. 7.
Sess. 1. Sect. 1.

Five Pounds for every Offence to the Informer.

To be levied by Distress and Sale, &c.

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Are:

Offences.	Callicoes.	Penalties.
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Persons wearing or using in Apparel, Household-Stuff, or Furniture, after 25 Dec. 1722. any Stuff made of Cotton, or mixed therewith, which shall be printed with any Colour, or Colours, or any Callicoe chequered or striped, or any Callicoe stitched or flowered in Foreign Parts with any Colour or Colours, or with coloured Flowers made there, Muslin Neckcloths and Fustians excepted.

Ibid. Sect. 10.

Are liable to the Penalties for using or wearing printed, painted, stained, or died Callicoes.

[Qu. Sess.] An Appeal lies to the next Quarter-Sessions, giving the Prosecutor six Days Notice, whose Judgment is final. *Ibid.* Sect. 1.

Note; The Act 11 & 12 W. 3. for employing the Poor, and encouraging the Manufactures of this Kingdom, is not to extend to any Silks, Bengals, or Stuffs mixed with Silk or Herba, or painted, dyed, printed,

Offences. Callicoes. Penalties.

printed, or stained Callicoes manufactured in *Persia, China, or East-India*, which were made up or used in Furniture or Household-stuff, before the 25th of *December, 1722.*

Stat. 10 *Geo. 1. c. 11. Sect. 2.*

Carmen, Carters, Carriers, and Carriage. Vide Title Waggon and Waggoners.

Cattle.

[One] **CATTLE**, dead or alive, imported, except for Provision for the Vessel, to be made appear in 48 Hours.

Stat. 18 *Car. 2. c. 2. Sect. 1.*

Two Witnesses.

Master and Mariner of the Vessel wherein Cattle are imported.

Stat. 20 *Car. 2. c. 7. Sect. 5.*

Seizors

Forfeited; One Moiety to the Poor, the other to him who seizes.

To be committed for three Months.

Forty

Offences.

Cattle.

Penalties.

Seizors of Cattle, Sheep, and Swine, imported out of *Ireland*, not giving Notice in six Days after Conviction to Church-wardens and Overseers of such Seizure, and they not distributing all but the Hides, and Tallow to the Poor.

Stat. 32 *Car. 2. c. 2. Sect. 6.*

View, Confession, or one Witness.

Forty Shillings for every of the great Cattle.

Ten Shillings for every Sheep or Swine.

One Moiety to the Poor, the other to the Informer. To be levied by Distrels and Sale.

And in Default, to be committed for 3 Months without Bail or Mainprize.

[*Thet*] To enquire by the Oaths of 12 Men, Examination of Witnesses, or any lawful Means, of the malicious Maiming, or otherwise hurting any *Horses, Sheep*, or other Cattle. And for that Purpose to issue Warrants to summon Jurors, suspected Persons, and such as give Evidence.

Stat. 22 & 23 *Car. 2. c. 7. Sect. 6.*

Quor. 1.

[*Qu. Sect.*] No *Certiorari* is to be allowed, unless the Indicted will become bound with sufficient Sureties (such as the Justices of the Peace in Sessions shall like of) to pay to the Prosecutor, in a Month after Conviction,

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viction, such Costs and Damages as the Justices shall assess.

Stat. 21 Jac. 1. c. 8. Sect. 2.

Cheese. *Vide Title Butter and Cheese.*

Church.

[Dut] **P**ersons not repairing to Church according to the 1 Eliz. c. 2.

Stat. 23 Eliz. c. 1. Sect. 5.

This is not to be extended to Protestant Dissenters, by

Stat. 1 W. & M. Sess. 1. c. 18.

Persons not repairing to some Church or Chapel.

Stat. 3 Jac. 1. c. 4. Sect. 27.

Confession, or one Witness.

This

Twenty Pounds a Month; and if forbear for 12 Months after Certificate made by the Ordinary into the *Queen's Bench*,

To be bound with two sufficient Sureties in 200 Pounds at least, to be of the Good Behaviour, until they shall repair to Church.

Twelve Pence for the Poor.

To be levied by Distress and Sale.

In Default of Distress to be committed.

The

*Offences.***Church.***Penalties.*

This is not to be extended to Protestant Dissenters, by

Stat. 1 *W. & M.*
Sess. 1. c. 18.

Persons above sixteen, absenting from Church above one Month, impugning the Queen's Authority in Causes Ecclesiastical, frequenting *Conventicles*, or persuading others so to do, under Pretence of Exercise of Religion.

Stat. 35 *Eliz.* c. 4.
Sect. 1.

This is not to be extended to Protestant Dissenters, by

Stat. 1 *W. & M.*
Sess. 1. c. 18.

Every Person not resorting to their Parish Church, or upon Let thereof, to some other, every *Sunday* and *Holy Day*.

Stat.

The Prosecution to be in one Month.

To be committed till they conform themselves, and make Submission: He may require them to conform and submit, and if they refuse, they must abjure the Realm in open Assize or Sessions.

Twelve Pence for the Poor.

To be levied by the Church-wardens, by Distress and Sale.

Offences.

Church.

Penalties.

Stat. 1 *Eliz. c. 2.*
Sect. 14.

This affects not
Protestant Dissenters.

[*Two*] Incumbents
not reading Divine
Service once a Month.

Stat. 13 & 14 *Car.*
2. c. 4. Sect. 3.

Confession, or two
Witnesses.

Persons disturbing
Episcopal Congrega-
tions in *Scotland*, or
misusing, &c. any
Minister or Pastor
thereof, on Proof by
two Witnesses.

10 *Ann. c. 7.* Sect. 9.

[*Qu. Sess.*] Every
Person not repairing
to Church according
to 1 *Eliz. c. 2.*

Stat. 23 *Eliz. c. 1.*
Sect. 5.

This extends not to
Protestant Dissent-
ers, nor where Di-
vine

Five Pounds for
every Offence.

To be levied in
ten Days by Distress
and Sale.

To be bound in a
Recognizance of 50 *l.*
for their Appearance
at the next Sessions,
&c. or to be com-
mitted to Prison in
Default.

Twenty Pounds a
Month. Two Thirds
to the Queen, one to
her own Use, the o-
ther for the Poor, the
Third to the Prose-
cutor.

Offences.

Church.

Penalties.

vine Service is read
in their Houses, by
the said Stat. 1 *W.*
& *M.*

Persons above 16
convicted of Absence
from Church for a-
bove a Month, with-
out lawful Cause, im-
pugning the Queen's
Authority in Causes
Ecclesiastical, or fre-
quenting *Conventicles*,
or persuading others
so to do, under Pre-
tence of Exercise of
Religion.

Stat. 35 *Eliz. c. 1.*
Sect. 1.

This extends not to
Protestant Dissent-
ers, by the said
Stat. 1 *W. & M.*

Keeping a School-
Master, who absents
himself from Church,
or is not allowed by
the Bishop orordi-
nary.

Stat. 23 *Eliz. c. 1.*
Sect. 6. Per-

To be committed
to Prison, till they
conform themselves,
and submit.

And if within 3
Months after they
refuse to conform
and submit, being
requir'd by a Justice
of Peace, they shall
in open Sessions ab-
jure the Realm, and
the Justices are to
certify the same at
the next Assize or
Gaol-Delivery.

10 Pounds a Month.
To be divided, *ut su-
pra.*

<i>Offences.</i>	Church.	<i>Penalties.</i>
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Persons keeping or retaining any Person in their House (Servant, or other) which shall forbear to come to Church, for a Month together.

Stat. 3 *Fac.* 1. c. 4.
Sect. 32.

This extends not to Protestant Dissenters, by the Stat.
1 *W. & M.*

10 Pounds a Month. Children may relieve their Father or Mother, and Guardians their Wards or Pupils.

Note; None shall be punished for any of his Wife's Offences against Stat. 3 *Fac.* 1. c. 4. Neither shall any married Woman be chargeable with any Penalty or Forfeiture of that Act.

To receive the Letters of Orders of Episcopal Ministers in Scotland, before they officiate as Pastors of Congregations, and to order the same to be entred on Record by the Register or Clerk of the Peace, whose Fee is 1 s.

Stat. 10 *Ann.* c. 7.
Sect. 2.

And

Persons disturbing such Congregations, &c. and convicted by two Witnesses.

Forfeit 100 Pounds, Half to the Informer, and Half to the Poor.

On

Offences.

Church.

Penalties.

And if any Magistrate having or pretending Authority in Scotland, shall forbid or hinder their Meeting or Assembling within their Jurisdiction, or cause the Doors of the House where they meet to be shut up.

Ibid. Sect. 9.

On Conviction, *ut supra*, he forfeits 100 Pounds.

To be disposed, *ut supra*.

Church-wardens. *Vide* Title New Parishes and Pooz.

Clerk of the Market. *Vide* Bakers, Bread, Weights and Measures.

Clothes.

[One] **W**ilfully and maliciously to assault any Person in the publick Streets, or Highways, with an Intent to tear, spoil, cut, burn, or deface, and who shall tear, spoil,

Felony, and to be transported for seven Years.

Offences.

Clothes.

Penalties.

spoil, cut, burn, or
deface the Garments
or Clothes of any Per-
son. If convicted.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 23.
Sect. 11.

Cloth and Clothier. See Dyers, &c.

(Woollen)

[Dnr] **C**lothiers
not pay-
ing their Work-folks
their Wages in ready
Money.

Stat. 4 Ed. 4. c. 1.
Sect. 6.

10 Ann. c. 16. *infra*.

Carders, Spinsters,
Weavers, Fullers,
Sheermen, and Dyers,
not performing their
Duty.

Stat. 4 Ed. 4. c. 1.
Sect. 6.

The Justice not do-
ing his Duty, about
seizing Ropes, and o-
ther

Treble Damages,
and to be committed
till Payment.

See 12 Geo. 1. c. 32.

Double Damages,
and to be committed
till Payment.

See 12 Geo. 1. c. 32.

Five Pounds, to be
divided into three
Parts;

One

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ther Things, used for unlawful Stretching Northern Cloths, and other Matter, according to

Stat. 39 *Eliz. c. 20.*
 Sect. 9.

Mix'd or Medly Broad Cloth (after 'tis milled, &c. to be measured at the Fulling-Mill by the Master, or Occupier thereof; who is to make Oath, *That he will well and truly perform such Measuring* (before some neighbouring Justice, who is to give him a Certificate thereof) and affix a Seal to each Cloth, with his Name, and (in Figures) the Length and Breadth, before 'tis sold.

Stat. 10 *Ann. c. 16.*
 Sect. 1 and 2.

One Witness, &c.
Vide infra.

Clothiers,

One to the Queen, another to the Informer, and the Third to the Poor.

If the Buyer refuse to take the Cloth according to the Measure so mark'd on the Seal, he forfeits 20s. for each Cloth. As doth the Master for refusing or neglecting to fix such Seal.

And every Person who shall alter such Seal before the Cloth is sold, forfeits 20s.

13 *Geo. I. c. 23.*

For-

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Clothiers, &c. stretching or straining any such Cloth above a Yard in 20 Yards Length, or above one Nail in a Yard in Breadth.

Stat. 10 *Ann. c.* 16.
Sect. 3.

One Witness, &c.
Vide infra.

Mill-men, Owners, or Occupiers of Fulling-Mills, to have a Table 12 Foot long, and 3 Foot wide, whereon the Cloth shall be doubled, or creased, and laid plain, and one Inch more instead of a Thumb's Breadth, *viz.* 37 Inches, to prevent any Dispute in respect of measuring by the Yard.

Stat. 10 *Ann. c.* 16.
Sect. 4.

One Witness, &c.
Vide infra.

Forfeits 20 *s.* for every Offence, if convicted before 'tis sold, or exposed to Sale.

In Default of such Table provided, and constantly kept and used, every Person forfeits 10 *l.*

Clothiers,

To

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Clothiers, or others, concerned in the Woollen Manufacture, shall make Payment in Money to the Persons employed for all Work done in Relation thereto, and not (in Lieu of Payment) impose or deliver any Sort of Goods, or Wares for such Work.

To forfeit for every Offence 20 s.

Stat. 10 Ann. c. 16.
Sect. 6.

One Witness, &c.
Vide infra.

Note; All Offences against this Act may be heard and determined by *one Justice*, not concerned in the Matter of the Complaint, and upon the Oath of one Witness; and all the Penalties, &c. are Half to the Informer, and Half to the Poor. And if not paid within 14 Days after Conviction, the Justice may cause it to be levied by Distress, &c. And if no Distress, *commit* to the Gaol, or *House of Correction*, to hard Labour, not exceeding three Months for each Offence; and all Offences to be prosecuted within thirty Days after committed, or Discovery made.

But

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But an Appeal lies to the Sessions. Sect. 9.
Also this Act is not to extend to *Yorkshire*, or
to invalidate the Act 7 Ann. c. 13. for the
Length and Breadth of Cloths made there.

Stat. 10 Ann. c. 16. Sect. 7, 8, 11.

Mixed and Med-
ley Broad-Cloths to
contain the Quanti-
ty mentioned in the
Seals set by the Ma-
ster or Occupier of
the Fulling-Mill.

Stat. 1 Geo. I. c. 15.
Sect. 1.

Or Seller forfeits a
6th Part of the Value
of every Cloth under
Measure to the Poor
of the Parish.

To be paid by the
Buyer, and deducted
out of the Price of
the Cloth.

Owners and Oc-
cupiers, &c. refusing
the Oath, *That he will
well and truly perform
such Measuring*, or
not fixing a Seal, or
others taking off, de-
facing or counterfeit-
ing it.

One Witness.

Stat. 1 Geo. I. c. 15.
Sect. 2.

Twenty Pounds in
Lieu of Twenty Shil-
lings per Cloth, by 6
Ann. c. 29.

Clothier, Cloth-
worker, Card-maker,
and all Persons con-
cerned

40 s. for every Of-
fence.

Stat.

Offences. Cloth and Clothier. Penalties.

cerned in the Woollen
Manufacture, not
paying their Servants,
Labourers, &c. Wages
in Money, or impos-
ing on them Goods,
&c. in Lieu thereof.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 15.
Sect. 12.

See Stat. 12 Geo. 1.
c. 34. *infra*.

Mixed or Medley
Broad-Cloths, to be
sealed and stamped
with the Watch-Mea-
sure on the Seal of the
Master, Owner, Oc-
cupier, or Mill-man,
by whom wetted, ful-
led, and milled; and
every Clothier, selling
or putting to Sale
such Broad-Cloth,
before so sealed.

Forfeits a 6th Part
of such Cloth.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 15.
Sect. 5.

Note; All Offences against this Act may be
heard and determined by One Justice, not
concerned in the Matter of the Complaint,
upon the Oath of One or more Witnesses or
Witnesses. And all the Penalties, &c. are in
London to Christ's Hospital; and in all other
Places to the Poor. And if not paid in 30
Days after Conviction and Demand, or in
Case

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Case the Owner, &c. refuse or neglect to repay the Forfeiture for Want of sufficient Length or Breadth of Admeasurement: The Justice may cause the Penalties, &c. to be levied by Distress, &c. And if no Distress, commit to the Gaol, or House of Correction to hard Labour for three Calendar Months.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 15. Sect. 7. See the Stat. 13 Geo. 1. *infra*.

All Offences against the Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 15. (saving where Owner, &c. refuse Repayment of the Forfeitures for Want of sufficient Length or Breadth in Admeasurement) to be prosecuted within 40 Days after committed or discover'd.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 15. Sect. 8.

[Dnr] On Information on Oath, That any Person is Guilty, or Suspected of the ill Practices in the Cloathing-Trade, (mentioned Sect. 1, 2, 3.) may authorise Constables, &c. to enter Houses, &c. by Day, and search for and examine Warping-Bars, Weights, &c.

Stat. 13 Geo. 1. c. 23. Sect. (See two Justices *infra*.)

End-Gatherers buying or carrying Ends of Yarn, Thrums,	On Conviction by Oath of one or Confession, to be adjudged
Re-	E cd

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Refuse, &c. a Constable or other Peace-Officer, may by a Warrant search them; and if he finds any Ends, Thrums, &c. carry him before a Justice. *Ibid.* Sect. 8.

ed an incorrigible Rogue, and punished as 12 *Anna* directs.

Ibid. Sect. 8.

(Linen.)

Linen-Cloth made in *Scotland*, to be of well sorted Yarn, and equally wrought, and fine from one End of the Piece to the other, and made by the *Standard-Yard* Wand. And all *St. Johnstons*, or other Plain, Brown, or Green Cloth, made for Whitening, one Yard and a Nail, or three Quarters and a Nail broad, that when whited, it may be a full Yard, or full three Quarters broad; and in Length the whole Piece 84 Yards, the Half-piece 42 Yards, &c.

If any make Linen-Cloth in *Scotland* otherwise, and thereof convicted by Oath of any Overseer or Searcher, or two credible Witnesses.

He forfeits for every Inch less than Measure in Breath, and every Yard less in Length, Five Shillings.

And for every Piece not made of well-sorted Yarn, and equally wrought, and fine, five Shillings.

And if any shall buy or expose to Sale, or bring to any Town or Place in *Scotland* for Sale, any Linen-Cloth

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&c. that so whited it may be 80 or 20 Yards, &c. and all other Sorts of plain Cloth a full Yard in Breadth, and in Length 40 Yards the Piece, 20 Yards the Half-piece, &c. And see, *ibid.* other Measures appointed for Linen Checks striped Linen, Neck-cloths, Ticken, &c.

Stat. 10 *Ann. c. 21.*
Sect. 1.

And for Dornick, Towelling, or Plain Linen, see 12 *Ann. Sess. 1. c. 20. Sect. 1.* and 2.

And all Cloth to be sold in *Scotland* to be made up in Folds of one Yard and Half each Fold, and not rolled or battered.

Stat. 10 *Ann. c. 21.*
Sect. 1.

The Owners of
Scotch Linen-Cloth,
before exposed to
Sale

Cloth not made or not folded as aforesaid, if convicted within six Months, forfeits for each Piece five Shillings.

Note also the Stat.
13 *Geo. 1. c. .*
which relates to the
Linen and Hempen
Manufacture in *Scot-*
land.

And if exposed to
Sale, or carried to
the Water-side for
E 2 Ex-

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Sale, to bring it to some Borough Town, or Place, where Stamps are appointed, there to be stamped.

Stat. 10 *Ann. c.* 21.
Sect. 3.

And if any other Person shall in *Scotland* buy, export, transport, or carry to the Water-side for that Purpose, *Scotch* Linen-Cloth not stamp'd as aforesaid. *Ibid.* Sect. 4.

If any Person counterfeits any Stamp, or affix it without Authority.

Ibid. Sect. 4.

No Stamp-Master, for himself or any other, to buy or dispose of any Linen-Cloth, or stamp any that is not made of well-sorted Yarn, equally wrought, and

Exportation before stamp'd, and thereof convicted, *ut supra*.

Forfeits for each Piece five Shillings.

If convicted, *ut supra*, in *Scotland*,
He forfeits for each Piece 5 s.

He forfeits 50 l. Sterling, or a Year's Imprisonment, if insolvent.

On Forfeiture of five Shillings, for each Piece, and incapacitated of his Office for the future.

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of equal Fineness,
from one End to the
other, and of the said
Lengths, Breadths,
and Foldings,

Ibid. Sect. 4.

Making Use of
Lime or Pigeons-
Dung for whitening
or bleaching Linen-
Cloth in Scotland, and
convicted by

Two Witnesses, or
Confession. *Ibid.*

Stat. 10 Ann. c. 21.
Sect. 5.

Forfeits for each
Piece 20*l.* and in De-
fault of Payment, to
levy it by Distress,
&c. And if no Di-
stress, commit to the
House of Correction,
or Gaol, to hard La-
bour, not exceeding
12 Months.

Note ; All the Forfeitures and Penalties
of this Act are Half to the Informer and
Half to the Poor.

(Woollen.)

[Two] To appoint once a Year Overseers
for the well-ordering of Cloth.

Stat. 3 & 4 Ed. 6. c. 2. Sect. 9.

Faulty Cloths ex-
posed to Sale by Re-
tail.

Stat. 5 & 6 Ed. 6.
c. 6. Sect. 43.

To be divided in-
to 3 Parts, one to
the King, another to
the Justice, the third
to the Prosecutor.

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<p>Logwood which is deceitfully used for Dying of Cloth. Stat. 23 <i>Eliz. c. 9.</i> Sect. 2.</p>	<p>To be seised and openly burnt. And the Dyer for- feits double the Va- lue of the Cloth, Wool, or other Thing dy'd with it.</p>
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To appoint Overseers to make Search
once a Month, at least, for Defects of Nor-
thern Cloths.

Stat. 39 *Eliz. c. 20.* Sect. 4.

<p>Sorters, Carders, Kembers, Spinsters, or Weavers of Wool, or Yarn, who shall imbezil, or detain any Part from the Owner. Stat. 7 <i>Jac. 1. c. 7.</i> Sect. 2.</p>	<p>Either to make Satisfaction, or be whip'd, and put in the Stocks.</p>
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<p>Makers of deceit- ful Cloth. Stat. 21 <i>Jac. 1. c.</i> 18. Sect. 3. Confession, or two Witnesses.</p>	<p>Five Pounds, to be certified under Hand and Seal to the Church-wardens and Overseers of the Poor of the Parish, where the Offence is com- mitted. To be levied by Distress and Sale, &c. And</p>
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Offences Cloth and Clothier. Penalties.

And for Want of Distress, Imprisonment.

[Two] Contracts, Combinations, Agreements, By-Laws, &c. of Weavers, Woolcombers, &c. for regulating the Trade, settling the Prices of Goods advancing their Wages, or lessening their Hours of Work, &c. to be illegal and void. And Persons keeping up any such Contract, Combination, &c.

Stat. 12 Geo. 1. c. 34. Sect. 1.

Weavers, &c. retain'd and departing their Service before the End of the Term agreed on, or not returning to work before finished, except for some reasonable Cause.

On Conviction by Oath of one, before two Justices, within 3 Months after the Offence, to be sent to the House of Correction, or Common Gaol, not exceeding 3 Months.

Ibid. Sect. 1.

To be sent to the House of Correction for 3 Months.

Ibid. Sect. 2.

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Stat. 12 Geo. 1. c.
34. Sect. 2.

Weavers, &c.
Damnifying of Work.

Stat. 12 Geo. 1. c.
34. Sect. 2.

Double the Value,
or be committed.

Ibid. Sect. 2.

Clothiers to pay
Weavers and Work-
people the full Prices,
and Wages agreed on,
in Money, and not
in Goods.

Stat. 12 Geo. 1. c.
34. Sect. 3.

Two Justices may
levy the Money by
Distress, and if none,
commit the Offender
to Gaol for 6 Months.
Ibid. Sect. 3.

Clothiers paying
their Work-People
in Goods, or by
Way of Truck.

Ibid. Sect. 4.

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to the Informer, and
the other to the Par-
ty grieved: *But an
Appeal lies to Qu. Sess.*
Ibid. Sect. 4, 5.

* *Note*; By 13 Geo. 1. c. 23. the Prosecu-
tion for this is to be within 3 Months after
the Offence.

If any shall assault a Master-Weaver
&c. whereby he has any bodily Hurt, for
not submitting to such Combinations, By-
Laws, &c. *supra*, or shall write or send any
Letter or Message threatening Hurt to him,
or

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or to burn his House, cut down his Trees, maim his Cattle, &c. for not complying with their Demands, on Conviction within 12 Months, he shall be adjudged Guilty of Felony, and transported for 7 Years. Stat. 12 Geo. 1. c. 32. Sect. 6.

And Persons breaking into any Shop by Day or Night to destroy any Woollen Goods or Tools, &c. employed in the making thereof, or who shall cut or destroy any such Goods in the Loom, or on the Rack, &c. shall suffer Death as Felons, without Benefit of Clergy. *Ibid.* Sect. 7.

No Maker of mixed or Medley-Woollen Broad-cloth, shall use any long Warping-Bars, but such as are three Yards and three Inches in Length. And round Ones to be four Yards and four Inches round, and no more; and the Thrums at each End of the said Bars, are not to exceed eighteen Inches long. Stat. 13 Geo. 1. c. 23. Sect. 1.

Ten Pounds, leviable by Distress and Sale, one Moiety to the Informer, the other to the Poor; and if no Distress, Commitment for 3 Months, or till Payment, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 1.

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And *Note*; All Disputes relating to Work, Wages, &c. betwixt Clothiers, Combers, Weavers, &c. are to be heard by 2 or more Justices, who are to summon the Parties, examine on Oath, adjudge such Satisfaction, and give such Costs to the Party grieved, as in their Discretion shall seem reasonable, and levy the same by Distress, &c. or in Default commit, &c. not exceeding 3 Months. (But an Appeal lies to Quarter-Sessions). And the Proceedings of the Justices herein, either in or out of Sessions, shall not be removed by *Certiorari*. Stat. 13 Geo. 1. c. 23. Sect. 5, 6.

All Wool, Yarn, &c. for making such Cloth, to be given out and received by Weight, at 16 Ounces to the Pound.

Stat. 13 Geo. 1. c. 23. Sect. 2.

On Penalty of 5*l*.

Clothiers, &c. interrupting the Search of Constables on a Justice's Warrant.

Ibid. Sect. 7.

Forfeit 5*l*.

Clothiers to pay their Weavers according

On Forfeiture of 5*l*.

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According to the Number of Yards that Chains are laid on the Warping bar.

Ibid. Sect. 9.

Owners of Tenters or Racks in *Glocestershire, Wilts and Somerset*, to measure such Tenters, &c. and mark in large Figures their Length of Yards, (beginning N^o 1. on the Fore-side of the Top Bar), each Yard to contain 36 Inches, and one Inch more for the over Measure usually allow'd in Cloths.

Ibid. Sect. 10.

[*Thirt*] If any Means be used whereby Linen Cloth shall be deceitful, or made worse for Use.

Stat. 1 *Eliz.* c. 12.
Sect. 1.

Quov. 1.

On Forfeiture of 5 *l.* for every Tenter or Rack not so numbered and mark'd.

The Cloth is forfeited, and the Person to be committed for a Month, and fined.

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[Qu. Sell.] Persons stretching or straining any Cloths made on the North-side of Trent.

Stat. 39 Eliz. c. 20. Sect. 12.

Vide Stat. 10 Ann. c. 16.

Persons, using any Engine, or stretching or straining Cloths.

Stat. 39 Eliz. c. 20. Sect. 2.

If a Seal of Lead be not set on Northern Cloths.

Stat. 39 Eliz. c. 20. Sect. 3.

If any, save the Overseers, set or take away a Seal, to or from the said Cloths, without Warrant.

Stat. 39 Eliz. c. 20. Sect. 7.

Two Witnesses.

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Five Pounds; one Third to the Queen, another to the Informer, and another to the Poor of the Place where the Offence is committed.

Twenty Pounds, to be divided, *ut supra*.

The same is forfeited, and 4 s. for every Yard it wants of due Length; and 2 s. for every Pound it wants of due Weight, to be divided, *ut supra*.

Ten Pounds for the first Offence, 20 l. for the second. To be divided, *ut supra*.

And besides suffer the Pillory.

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Servants to Clothiers, &c. refusing to serve for the Wages limited, according to the Statute; and being retained, departing his or their Service, without a Quarter's Warning, or some lawful Cause.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 4.
Sect. 9.

Woollen Cloth Weavers taking an Apprentice, or teaching any their Art, save their own Children, or such whose Parents have 3 Pounds per Annum Freehold.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 4.
Sect. 29.

Every Cloth-worker, Fuller, Sheerman, Weaver, Taylor, and Shoemaker, who does not keep one Journeyman for every three Apprentices; and for every Apprentice above

To be imprisoned, without Bail; but upon Submission to perform the Service, to be enlarged without Fee.

Twenty Pounds for every Month.

Ten Pounds.

Not to extend to Norwich and Norfolk.

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bove three, another
Journeyman.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 4.
Sect. 33.

Persons aggrieved
by the Order of one
Justice, on a Convic-
tion touching *Mixed*
Broad-Cloth, may, on
giving sufficient No-
tice, appeal to the
Qu. Sess. whose De-
termination is final.

Stat. 10 Ann. c. 16.
Sect. 9.

1 Geo. c. 15.
Sect. 10.

If the Sessions con-
firm or disannul the
Order, they shall al-
low such *Costs* and
Charges to the Party
grieved, as they think
reasonable.

To be levied and
paid as in other Cases
of Appeal.

Note; Stat. 1 Geo. c. 1. 15. does not extend
to any Factor, or his Agent, employed in Sel-
ling of *Mixed* or *Medley Broad-Cloth*. Sect. 11.

Nor to any Cloth made in *Yorkshire*, or to
invalidate the Act 7 Ann. c. 13. for the Length
and Breadth of Cloths made there. Sect. 14.

In *Scotland*, to appoint *Stamps*, to be kept
at proper Places, where Linen-Cloth is
sold, for the Stamping or Marking thereof,
and to appoint qualified Persons for Stamp-
ing it, who are to take an Oath *de Fidelit*,
and find Sureties for the faithful Execution

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of the Office, in such Sum as the Sessions shall appoint.

Stat. 10 Ann. c. 21. Sect. 4.

Persons aggrieved by the Order of one Justice on a Conviction touching *Mixed Broad-Cloth*, on the Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 15. may on giving sufficient Notice, appeal, &c. to the Qu. Sess. whose Determination is final.

Ibid. Sect. 10.

[Qu. Sess.] After Easter, are yearly to appoint Inspectors, and may allow each, not exceeding 30 *l.* per Ann. who are to take an Oath well and truly to execute their Office, and at all seasonable Times enter and inspect every Mill, Shop, Out-house, and Tenter-Ground of Clothiers, Mill-men, &c. and mea-

To allow such Costs and Charges to the Party griev'd, as they think reasonable.

To be levied and paid as in other Cases of Appeals.

Inspectors acting against their Oath, &c. forfeit 20 *l.*

Ibid. Sect. 12.

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measure the Length of Tenters, and the Length and Breadth of Cloths there, stamp their Names on a Lead Seal furnish'd by the Maker, and affix it at the Head of every Cloth; keep a Register of the Clothier or Mill-man's Name, and Number, Length and Breadth of every Cloth, and deliver a true Copy of such Register at every Quarter-Sessions.

Stat. 13 Geo. I. c. 23.
Sect. 10.

A Clothier or Mill-man, &c. refusing an Inspector Entrance, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 11.

A Mill-man, sending home Cloths before inspected, &c. For every Piece of Cloth so sent.

Sect. 14.

Ten Pounds.

Forfeits 40 s.

Every

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Every Maker of such Broad Cloth to pay the Inspector 2 d. for every Cloth he makes before sent from the Mills; and Inspectors are every 3 Months to pay the Money to the County Treasurer, to be applied by Direction of the Justices at their Sessions, towards the Salaries of Inspectors, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 13.

See more of Clothiers Tir. Dyers and Servants.

Coaches. Vide Hackney-Coaches.

Coals.

[One] **P**ersons having a Hand in removing or altering the Marks upon Keels and other Boats, Carts and Wains for Carriage of Coals, in the Port of Newcastle upon Tyne.

Stat. 30 Car. 2. c. 8.
Sect. 6.

6 & 7 W. 3.
c. 10. Sect. 7.

One Witness.

Ten Pounds, to be levied by Distress and Sale; and on Default to be committed for three Months.

Coffee, Tea, and Chocolate.

Offences.

[Dut] **N**Ote, the Statute 10 Geo. I. which takes off the Custom-Duties on Coffee, Tea, and Chocolate, grants certain inland Duties thereon, payable by the Druggists and Dealers therein. And Entries are to be made in Writing of all Ware-houses, Shops, and Places where made, &c.

Stat. 10 Geo I. c. 10. Sect. 1, &c. and Sect. 9 & 10.

And no Coffee, &c. is to be brought in- to such Ware-house, &c. *Ibid.* Sect. 11.

Officers of the said Duties may, in the Day-time, enter such Ware-houses, Shops, and

Penalties.

On Penalty of 200 *l.* and Forfeiture of the Goods, &c.

Forfeiture of the Goods, and treble the Value.

Hindring the Offi- cer, or not assisting, or not keeping such Weights

Coffee, Tea, and Chocolate.

Offences.

and Places, to Weigh, Gauge, and take Account of Coffee, &c. The Owner to assist therein, and to keep good Scales, Weights, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 12.

Officers on Suspicion of Coffee, &c. concealed, &c. may (if within the Weekly Bills) on Oath before the Commissioners of the Duties, (or if in other Places) before one Justice, by their Special Warrant by Day, or (with a Constable, &c.) by Night, enter suspected Places, and seise and carry away such concealed Coffee, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 13.

Penalties.

Weights and Scales, forfeits 100*l*.

Obstructing or hindring the Officer, &c. in entering or seizing, forfeits 100*l*.

Coits. See Title Games not lawful.

Coin

Offences. Coin and Coining. Penalties.

[Dn.] **S**heriff or
 Other Of-
 ficer refusing any
 lawful Coin in Pay-
 ment.

Stat. 19 H. 7. c. 5.
 Sect. 6.

May compel him
 to take it, and other-
 wise punish him at
 Discretion.

Where any Tools
 or Instruments for
 Coining or counter-
 feiting Gold, or Sil-
 ver-Monies are found.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.
 c. 26. Sect. 5.

The Instruments
 and the Persons in
 whose Custody they
 are found, to be seif-
 ed and carried be-
 fore a Justice. And
 the Persons and In-
 struments to be secu-
 red, and Instruments
 to be produced as E-
 vidence, and after-
 ward defaced and
 destroyed.

Counterfeit-Money
 given in Evidence
 to be cut in Pieces
 afterwards, and then
 given to the Party.

Collar-makers. Vide **Tanners.**

Collectors of the Customs. Vide **Apprentices.**

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Commission of the Peace.

Offences.

Penalties.

[Qu. Sess.] **I**N every Commission of the Peace this Clause is to be inserted, viz. That the Justices of Peace in their Sessions shall have Power to enquire of Watches, and to punish them who shall be found in Default, according to the Stat. of *Winchester*.

Stat. 5 H. 4. c. 3.

Vide *Justices of the Peace*.

Combinations of Workmen in the Woollen Manufacture, against 12 Geo. 1. c. 34.
See *Tit. Clothiers*.

Cotes and Cony-Dogs. See *Tit. Game*.

Conformity.

[Q. Sess.] **T**O take the Oath of Persons having Offices, &c. convicted of Non-Conformity; That they have conformed for a Year past, and received the Sacrament three

None to suffer, unless Oath be made of the Offence within 10 Days, before a Justice.

And Prosecution thereupon within 3 Months after the Offence committed.

And

Offences.	Conformity.	Penalties.
three Times within the Year.		And Conviction by the Oath of two Witnesses.
Stat. 10 Ann. c. 2.		
Se&t. 4 & 5.		

Conspiracies.

[*Q. Serf.*] **B**utchers, Brewers, Bakers, Poulterers, Cooks, Coster-Mongers, or Fruiterers, who conspire, or promise together, that they will not sell their Victuals but at certain Prices.

Stat. 2 & 3 Ed. 6. c. 15. Se&t. 1.

First Offence, 10*l.* to the King, and if not paid in 6 Days after Conviction, 20 Days Imprisonment, with Bread and Water.

Second Offence, 20 Pounds, and if not paid in 6 Days, Pillory.

Third Offence, 40 Pounds, and if not paid in 6 Days, Pillory again, Loss of an Ear, and infamous.

See Cloth, &c. Page 79.

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[Two] **I**F Constables, Headboroughs, or Tithingmen die, or go out of the Parish, may swear new Ones, till the Lord of the Manor holds a Court-Leet, or till the next Quarter-Sessions.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 12. Sect. 9.

Conventicles.

[One] **P**ERSONS of the Age of 16 or upwards, Subjects of this Realm, who shall be present at any Conventicle, under Pretence of Exercise of Religion, in other Manner than according to the Church of England, to the Number of Five or more besides those of the Household.

Confession, two Witnesses, or notorious Evidence of the Fact.

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To record the Offence which is a Conviction, and set a Fine of Five Shillings, for the 1st Offence, which Record must be certified to the next Quarter-Sessions.

2d Offence ten Shillings to be levied by Distress, &c. or in Case of Poverty, on the Goods of others then convicted of the like Offence at the same Conventicle, not exceeding ten Pounds

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Stat. 22 Car. 2. c. 1.
Sect. 1.

Protestant Dissenters are exempt from the Penalties of this Act, by

Stat. 1 W. & M. c. 18. Sect. 4.

Pounds on any one Person.

Penalties to be levied by Constables, &c. per Warrant of a Justice, and deliver'd to the Justice, and he to pay one Third for the King's Use into the Qu. Sess.

Another Third to the Poor of the Parish where, &c.

The other Third to the Informer, and to such as he shall think fit.

Persons convicted of Preaching at any such Meeting.

Stat. 22 Car. 2. c. 1.

Not to extend to Protestant Dissenters, by Stat. 1 W. & M. c. 18. Sect. 8.

Forfeits for first Offence 20l.

And if a Stranger, and his Name or Habitation not known, or he can't be found, or unable to pay.

Penalty to be levied on any Persons that were present.

Second Offence 40 Pounds to be levied and disposed, *ut supra*.
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Offences. Conventicles. Penalties.

Persons convicted of wittingly suffering any such Meeting to be held in his House, Yard, &c.

Stat. 22 Car. 2. c. 1. Sect. 4.

Constables, &c. knowing, or being informed of such Meetings within their Precinct, and who shall not inform a Justice, or Chief Magistrate, &c. but shall wilfully omit their Duty, on Conviction.

Stat. 22 Car. 2. c. 1. Sect. 12.

Twenty Pounds to be levied and disposed, *ut supra*.

And in Case of Poverty upon Persons present.

Forfeit five Pounds, to be levied and disposed, *ut supra*.

Note; Justices and Chief Magistrates, &c. omitting their Duty, forfeit One hundred Pounds. One Moiety to the Informer, to be recovered in any of the Courts at *Westminster*. *Ibid*.

[Two] Or Constables, &c. by Warrant from them, may with what Assistance they think fit, break and enter any House where
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they shall be informed any such Conventicle is, within Liberties and without, and take into Custody the Persons so assembled: And the Lieutenants, Deputy-Lieutenants, or any Commissionated Officer of the *Militia*, or other the King's Forces with Horse and Foot, and the Sheriffs and other Ministers of Justice, with such Assistance as they shall think fit, on Certificate under Hand and Seal of any Justice of Peace or Chief Magistrate, of such Meeting, that he is not able to suppress, may dissolve such Meetings, and take the Persons present into Custody.

Stat. 22 *Car.* 2. c. 1. Sect. 9.

Not to extend to Protestant Dissenters.

No Dwelling-house of a Peer, where he or his Wife shall be resident, to be searched but by Warrant under the Sign Manual, or in the Presence of the Lieutenant, or one Deputy-Lieutenant, or two Justices of Peace.

Quor. 1.

Stat. 22 *Car.* 2. c. 1. Sect. 10.

[*Qu. Sess.*] To deliver the King's Third of the Penalties incurred by this Act to the Sheriff, and to make a Record of such Payment and Delivery, which shall discharge the Justices, and charge the Sheriff, both

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both which are to be certified into the Exchequer.

Stat. 22 Car. 2. c. 1. Sect. 2.

Where the Sum charged upon any Offender exceeds ten Shillings, he may, within a Week, appeal in Writing to the Quarter-Sessions, to whom the Justices, &c. shall return the Money levied, and certify under Hand and Seal the Evidence, with the whole Record and the said Appeal, whereupon such Offender may plead, and have his Trial by a Jury; and if he prosecute not with Effect, or be not acquitted, or Judgment pass not for him, he shall pay treble Costs; such Appeal is final.

Stat. 22 Car. 2. c. 1. Sect. 6.

Note; All Prosecutions upon the Stat. 22 Car. 2. c. 1. to be within three Months after the Offence.

Vide Tit. Church, and Dissenters; and Tit. Impugning Supremacy, in Tit. Papists and Popish Superstition.

Conviats.

[Two] **A**NY Person having the Benefit of his Clergy, and being

To be committed to some House of Correction, or publick Workhouse, in the

Offences. *Convicts.* *Penalties.*

ing committed to the House of Correction, and escaping out of Prison, and being re- taken.	the Place where re- taken, without Bail or Mainprize, for not less than twelve Months, and not ex- ceeding four Years, to be set to work, and kept to hard La- bour.
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Stat. 5 *Ann.* c. 6.
Sect. 3.
Quar' 1.

Cooks. *Vide Tit. Conspiracies.*

Coopers.

[*Qu. Sess.*] **T**HE Rates and Prices
which *Coopers* are to sell
their Vessels at, to be set in Sessions after
Easter yearly.

Stat. 8 *Eliz.* c. 9. Sect. 5.

Corn.

[*Qu. Sess.*] **A**FTER *Michaelmas* and
Easter, yearly, they are,
by the Oaths of two or more Persons of
the respective Counties, where foreign
Corn, or Grain shall be imported, not con-
cerned in importing it, and of 20 Pounds
per

Corn.

per Annum Freehold, or 50 Pounds *per Annum* Leasehold, or by such other Means as they shall think fit, to determine the Market Prices of midling *English* Corn, and to certify the same with two such Oaths to the Officer of the Customs, to be hung up in the Custom-house there.

Stat. 1 *Fac.* 2. c. 19. Sect. 3.

To be done in *London*, in *October* and *April*, by the Lord-Mayor, Aldermen, and Justices of Peace there.

Where Justices omitted to settle the Prices of Corn at their Sessions after *Michaelmas* last, they are to settle it at their next Quarter-Sessions, or Adjournment thereof, according to the Method prescribed *supra*; and thereon to grant Certificates; and Officers of the Customs are to govern themselves thereby. Stat. 2 *Geo.* 2. c. 18. Sect. 1.

Corn imported since the first Day of the said *Michaelmas* Quarter-Sessions, and the Duty thereof not paid, to be forfeited. *Ibid.* Sect. 2.

Justices at their *Michaelmas* and *Easter* Quarter-Sessions, omitting to determine the Prices of Corn and to certify the same as the Stat. 1 *Fac.* 2. requires, the Collector at the Port may receive the Duty (according to the lowest Prices mentioned in the Act of 22 *Car.* 2.) *Ibid.* Sect. 3.

Vide Tit. *Orchard*.

Offences.	Coroner.	Penalties.
<p>Qu. Sess. Coroner not doing his Duty without Fee, where a Person is slain by Misadventure.</p> <p>Stat. 1 H. 8. c. 7.</p> <p>Sect. 1.</p>		<p>Forty Shillings.</p>
<p>Coffermongers. <i>Vide Tit. Conspiracies.</i></p>		

Cottages.

<p>Qu. Sess. Erecting a Cottage for Habitation, without four Acres of Freehold.</p> <p>Or Continuance of it.</p> <p>Stat. 31 Eliz. c. 7.</p> <p>Sect. 1.</p>	<p>Ten Pounds to the Queen.</p>
<p>Owner or Occupier of a Cottage, suffering any more Families than one to dwell there.</p> <p>Stat. 31 Eliz. c. 7.</p> <p>Sect. 3.</p>	<p>Forty Shillings a Month to the Queen.</p>
	<p>Ten Shillings a Month to the Lord of the Leet.</p>

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Offences. *Cottages.* *Penalties.*

Note ; The Stat. 31 *Eliz. c. 7.* extends not to Cottages in Cities, Boroughs, or Market-Towns, or provided for Labourers in Mines or Quarries, within one Mile of them ; or for Sea-faring Men in a Mile of the Sea, or a Navigable River ; or for Keeper, Warrener, Shepherd, or Herdsman ; or an impotent Person ; or to Cottages, which by Order of Justices of Assize, or Justices of Peace in Sessions, shall be decreed to continue for Habitation.

Stat. 31 *Eliz. c. 7.* Sect. 4.

County Courts.

[One] **S**heriff, Under-Sheriff, or Sheriff's Clerk, entering in the *County Court*, any Plaintiff in the Absence of the Plaintiff or his Attorney, or having above one Plaintiff for one Cause.

Stat. 11 *H. 7. c. 15.*
Sect. 6, 8.

Forty Shillings, to be divided between the King and the Prosecutor.

To examine this Matter ; and if the Party be found guilty, to certify the Examination into the Exchequer within 3 Months, in Pain of 40 Shillings.

The Certificate is a Conviction.

Vide Tit. Bailiffs, Constables, and Sheriffs.

<i>Offences.</i>	<i>Currier.</i>	<i>Penalties.</i>
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[Qu. Sess.] **C**urrier, currying Hide or Skin insufficiently tanned and dried, or out of his own House, in some Corporate or Market Town, or gashing or spoiling them.

Stat. 1 Jac. 1. c. 22. Sect. 22.

Persons in *London*, or three Miles, putting any Leather to be curried to any but Freemen of the Curriers Company.

Ibid. Sect. 23.

Within the Jurisdiction of *London*, Persons putting into made Wares any curried Leather, before it

Six Shillings and Eight-pence a Skin or Hide, besides the Value of the same.

To be divided one third to the King, one to the Prosecutor, and the other to the City, Borough - Town, or Lord of the Liberty where the Offence is committed.

And to the Party griev'd, twice so much as he impairs.

Forfeit the same, or the Value.

To be divided in Thirds, one to the Seisor, another to the Chamber of *London*, the Third to the Poor.

Six Shillings and Eight-pence a Hide or Skin, and the Value of every such Hide or Skin, to be divided

Offences.

Currier.

Penalties.

it be searched and sealed.

Ibid. Sect. 24.

Currier using the Art of a Tanner, Cordwainer, Shoemaker, Butcher, or any other who useth cutting of Leather.

Ibid. Sect. 25.

Currier (sufficient Stuff being tender'd unto him) refusing sufficiently to curry Leather within eight Days in Summer, and Sixteen in Winter, after he takes it in hand.

Ibid. Sect. 24.

Currier in London not currying his Leather sufficiently, or other Artificers (using tanned and curried Leather) putting in to his Wares Leather insuf-

divided in London, *ut supra.*

Six Shillings and Eight-pence for every Hide or Skin he cutteth during the Time.

To be divided *ut supra.*

Ten Shillings for every Hide or Piece not curried.

The Wares, and the just Value, to be divided in Thirds in London, *ut supra.*

Offences.

Currier.

Penalties.

insufficiently tann'd
or curried.

Ibid. Sect. 44

Vide Tit. Leather,
Shoemakers and
Tanners.

Curling. *Vide* Tit. Swearing and Cur-
ling.

Custom-house Officers.

[One] **P**ersons resist-
ing, abusing, beating,
&c. Custom-house Of-
ficers, or their De-
puties, in the Exe-
cution of their Of-
fice.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car.
2. c. 11. Sect. 6.

Carman, or other
Person, assisting in
taking up, landing,
shipping, or carry-
ing away any Goods,
&c. without a War-
rant, or in the Pre-
sence of one or more
Officers of the Cu-
stoms.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car.
2. c. 11. Sect. 7.

Two

To be committed
till the next Quarter-
Sessions, and fined
then, not exceeding
100 Pounds, and to
remain in Prison till
discharged by Order
of Exchequer, or
discover who set
them on Work.

First Offence, To
be committed, till
he find Sureties for
the Good Behaviour,
or be discharged by
the Lord Treasurer,
Chancellor, Under-
Treasurer, or Barons
of the Exchequer.

Second Offence,
To be committed for

two

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Two Witnesses.

two Months, or till he pay five Pounds to the Sheriff, for the King's Use, or be discharged by the Lord Treasurer, &c.

Persons arm'd with Clubs, or any Manner of Weapon, tumultuously assembled in the Day or Night, to the Number of Eight or more, their Aiders and Assistants forcibly hindring, wounding or beating Custom-house Officers in the due Execution of their Office.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. Sect. 33.

Such Offender returning into *Great Britain* or *Ireland*, before the Expiration of the said Term.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. Sect. 34.

Being convicted, shall by Order of Court be transported for such Term as the Court shall think fit, not exceeding seven Years, in the same Manner as Felons are by 4 Geo. 1. c. 11.

Felony, without Benefit of Clergy.

Offences.

Penalties.

Customs, &c. Vide Smuglers.

Cyder-maker. Vide Tit. Excise.

Deer. Vide Tit. Game.

Deer-Stealers.

[One] **P**ersons, cour-
sing, killing, hunt-
ing, or taking away
Red or Fallow Deer,
in any Ground where
Deer are kept, with-
out Consent of the
Owner, or Persons
chiefly intrusted
therewith ; or are
aiding therein.

Stat. 13 Car. 2. c.
10. Sect. 2.

Confession, or one
Witness.

Prosecution within
six Months.

Persons unlaw-
fully coursing, hunt-
ing, taking in Toils,
killing,

20 l. to be levied
by Distress and Sale ;
for Want of Distress,
to be committed to
the House of Correc-
tion for six Months,
or to the Common
Gaol for a Year, not
to be discharged but
upon Security for the
Good Behaviour for
a Year, after En-
largement.

Twenty Pounds
for the Offence of
Hunting, &c.

And

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killing, wounding, or taking away any Red, or Fallow Deer, in any Forest, &c. without the Consent of the Owner, or be aiding therein.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 10. Sect. 2.

Confession or Oath of one Witness.

Prosecution to be in twelve Months; and where the Offence is committed, or Party apprehended.

And for every Deer taken or kill'd 30^l. to be levied by Distress and Sale.

One Third to the Informer, the other to the Poor, and the Rest to the Owner.

For Want of Distress 12 Months Imprisonment, and to be set in the Pillory for an Hour, in some Market-Town next to the Place.

To grant a Warrant to Constables, Head-boroughs and Tithingmen, when Deer are stolen, to search as for stolen Goods.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 10. Sect. 3. See Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c. 22. Sect. 11.

If upon Search any Venison or Skins of Deer, or Toils be found, and the Persons can give no good Account how they came by them, nor in some convenient Time produce

The same Penalties with the Deer-stealer.

And to be levied and employ'd, *ut supra*.

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produce the Person of whom they bought them, or prove such Sale upon Oath.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 10. Sect. 3.

Confession, or Oath of one Witness.

Persons in the Night-time, pulling down or destroying the Pales or Walls of any Park, Forest, &c. or other Ground inclosed, where Red or Fallow Deer shall be kept.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 10. Sect. 9.

Oath of one Witness.

[Dnr] Keepers or other Officers of any Forest, Chase, Purlieu, Paddock, Wood, Park, or Place where Deer are usually kept, convicted of killing or taking

See Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c. 22. Sect. 17. &c. *post.*

Three Months Imprisonment.

50 l. for each Deer. To be levied by Distress, and distributed as Forfeitures are, by 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 10.

For Want of Distress three Years Imprisonment.

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king away any Red or Fallow Deer, or being aiding therein without the Consent of the Owner or Person chiefly intrusted with the Custody of such Forests, &c.

Stat. 5 Geo. 1. c. 15.
Sect. 5.

Persons pulling down, or destroying, or causing to be pulled down or destroyed the Pales or Walls of any Park, Forest, &c. where Red or Fallow Deer shall be then kept without Owner's Consent.

One Witness.

Stat. 5 Geo. 1. c. 15.
Sect. 6.

prisonment, without Bail or Mainprize, and to be set in the Pillory for two Hours on the Market-Day.

Subject to the like Forfeitures and Penalties as for killing Deer.

May, on Confirmation of any Conviction of Deer-stealing, by Superior Courts at *Westminster*, and Delivery of the Rule, proceed against the Party convicted in the same Manner

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Manner as if a *Procedendo* had been granted.

Stat. 5 Geo. 1. c. 15. Sect. 2.

Convicts before discharged to be bound to the Person offended in 50 Pounds for their Good Behaviour, and not to offend in like Manner, and on Failure or Refusal, to be committed to the County-Gaol till so bound. And if afterwards convicted on the Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 10. the Penalty of the Bond is forfeited, to be recovered with full Costs of Suit, in any of the Courts at *Westminster*, and likewise liable to the Penalties and Forfeitures in the said Statute.

Stat. 5 Geo. 1. c. 15. Sect. 4.

No *Certiorari* for removing Convictions

Penalty to be distributed in the same Manner as Forfeitures are by 3 & 4 W. & M.

In Default of Rendering, &c. the Justice

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ons of Deer-stealing or other Proceedings upon the Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 10. to be allowed, unless he first give Securities to the Justices who convicted him, in 60 Pounds for each Offence to prosecute it, and to pay the Justice the Forfeitures due, &c. or render the Party convicted to the Justice in a Month after Conviction confirmed, or *Procedendo* granted.

Stat. 5 Geo. 1. c. 15. Sect. 1.

[Dnf] By 9 Geo. 1. c. 21. if any Persons with Swords, Fire-arms, or other offensive Weapons, and having their Faces black'd, or otherwise disguised, shall appear in any Forest, Warren, &c. or hunt, kill, or

Justice may proceed to execute the Conviction, as if no *Certiorari* had been.

Felony without Benefit of Clergy.
Sect. 1. &c.

Note ; Indictments, &c. hereon are triable in any County ; but a Conviction works no Corruption of Blood, Loss of Dower, or Forfeiture

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or carry away any Deer, rob any Warren, steal Fish out of a Pond, or break down its Head, kill or maim Cattle, cut down Trees in Avenues, Gardens, &c. set Fire to a House, Outhouse, Stack of Corn, Straw, Hay, or Wood; shoot at any Person, send a Letter without a Name, or in a fictitious Name demanding Money, Venison, &c. or rescue one in Custody for any the said Offences, or procure any Person to join in any such Offence.

Stat. 9 Geo. I. c. 22. Sect. 1.

Persons guilty of any of the said Offences, surrendering to a Judge of B. R. or Justice of Peace, and making a Con-

ture of Lands or Goods.

Ibid. Sect. 14.

To be pardoned, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 3.

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a Confession and Discovery on Oath of their Accomplices, and where they may be found, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 2.

Inhabitants of the Hundred to satisfy Damages sustained by killing or maiming of Cattle, destroying Trees, setting fire to any House, Out-house, Barn, Hovel, Stack of Corn, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 7.

Not exceeding 200*l.* to be raised, &c. as the Stat. 27 Eliz. of Hue and Cry directs.

Ibid. Sect. 7.

But Notice must be given to the Inhabitants near, within 2 Days, and in 4 Days after that an Information on Oath to a Justice of the Hundred by the Party injur'd, and examin'd whether they know the Party offending, and be bound by

ned,

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by Recognisance to
Prosecute.

Ibid. Sect. 8.

Also Actions against the Hundred must be commenc'd within one Year: And if any of the Offenders be convicted within six Months after the Offence, the Hundred is not liable.

Ibid. Sect. 9 & 10.

One Justice may warrant any Peace-Officer to enter any House to search for stoln Venison.

Ibid. Sect. 11.

A Person having Venison or Deer-Skins found in his Custody, who bought it of one suspected of stealing it, &c. and not producing the Party of whom he so bought it, or prove on Oath the Name and Place of such Party's Abode, shall be convicted of Deer-Stealing before one Justice.

Ibid. Sect. 17.

And subject to the Penalties of 3 & 4 W. & M. *Vide ante.*

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[Qu. Sess.] Unlawfully entring into any Park, Woods, or other Grounds enclosed, and there killing or chasing the Deer.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 21. Sect. 7.

Three Months Imprisonment, to be bound to the Good Behaviour for Seven Years.

Treble Damages to the Party grieved.

Upon the Offenders Acknowledgment in Sessions, and Satisfaction to the Party, the Behaviour may be released.

Justices of Gaol Delivery, by Order of Court, to transport for Seven Years to his Majesty's Plantations in *America* Persons convicted upon Indictment of Entering Parks, &c. with Armed Force, and wilfully wounding or killing Red or Fallow Deer there.

Stat. 5 Geo. I. c. 28. Sect. 1.

Offenders punished by this Act, not punishable by any other.

Offences. Deer-stealers. Penalties.

The Act of 9 Geo. 1. c. 22. commonly called the *Black Act*, to be openly read at every Quarter-Sessions and Lect.

Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c. 22. Sect. 15.

But *note* ; the said Act, by Sect. 16. was to continue only for three Years, from 1 July 1723. and to the End of the next Session.

Deserters. Vide Soldiers and Mariners.

Dissenters.

(*Protestant.*)
[One] **D**issenters, refusing to make and subscribe the Declaration in 30 Car. 2. and to take the Oaths, which came in the room of the Oath of Allegiance and Supremacy.

To be committed without Bail, and their Names to be certified to the Quarter Sessions.

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Offences. Dissenters. Penalties.

Stat. 1 *W. & M.*
Sess. 1. c. 18. Sect. 12.
Vide 10 Ann. c. 2.
Sect. 7 & 8.

Persons refusing
the Oath when ten-
der'd.

Stat. 1 *W. & M.*
Sess. 1. c. 18. Sect.
12.

Vide 10 Ann. c. 2.
Sect. 7 and 8.

To enter into a
Recognisance with 2
Sureties of 50*l.* for
their producing a
Certificate under the
Hands of six of the
Protestant Congrega-
tion, whereof he is
one; two Protestant
Witnesses, or a Cer-
tificate under the
Hands of Four
Church of *England*
Protestants, that he
is a Protestant.

May require Dissenting Teachers preach-
ing in any Congregation in such Counties
where they have not qualified themselves
as the Toleration-Act directs, to take the
Oath and Declaration of Allegiance and
Fidelity.

Stat. 10 *Ann. c. 2.*

[Qu. Sect.]

Offences. Dissenters. Penalties.

[Qu. Sess.] Disturbing any Protestant Dissenting Teacher.

Twenty Pounds.

Stat. 1 W. & M. c. 18.

Two Witnesses.

The Acts of 10 Ann. c. 2. in Part, and 12 Ann. c. 7. excluding Dissenters from Offices, repealed by 5 Geo. 1. c. 4. But Magistrates knowingly or willingly resorting to, or being present at Meetings in *England, Wales, Berwick upon Tweed, or the Isles of Jersey or Guernsey, with the Insignia or Habits of Office, are disabled, &c.* Sect. 2.

Vide Tit. Oath of Allegiance, in Tit. Papist and Popish Superstition.

Distillers. *Vide* Tit. Excise.

Dogs. *Vide* Tit. Game.

Drobers. *Vide* Tit. Sunday.

Draymen. *Vide* Tit. Waggon and Waggoners.

Drunken

Offences. Drunkenness. Penalties.

[One] **O**NE convicted
for being Drunk.

Stat. 4 *Fac.* 1 c. 5.
Sect. 2.

— 21 *Fac.* 1. c. 7.
Sect. 3.

View, one Wit-
ness, or Confession.

The Prosecution
to be within six
Months.

Five Shillings for
the Poor, where, &c.
for the first Offence,
within a Week, or to
be levied by Distress
and Sale after 6 Days.

And for Want of
Distress, to sit in the
Stocks six Hours.

For the second Of-
fence to be bound in
two Sureties in 10
Pounds to the Good
Behaviour.

Alehouse-keeper
convicted of Drun-
kenness.

Stat. 21 *Fac.* 1. c.
7. Sect. 4.

Conviction, *ut su-
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Disabled to keep
an Alehouse for 3
Years.

Duty on Houses. Vide Windows.

Offences.

Offers.

Penalties.

[Two] **D**YING Wool-
len Goods for *Mather'd Blacks*, not dyed throughout with Woad or Indico and Mather only; or dying Cloths or Bays for *Woaded Blacks*, and not woaded thro'out, forfeits according to the Rates *infra*, and so in Proportion.

Stat. 13 Geo. 1. c. 24.
Sect. 1, 3 & 7.

For a long Stock-
ing Bays of 70 Yards
or more, if falsly
Mather'd.

And if deceitfully
Dyed.

For a *Colchester* or
Short Bays of thirty-
five Yards, or other
like Woollen Goods
falsly Mather'd.

Offences, if more
than 10 Miles from
London, (where the
Forfeiture does not
exceed 5*l.*) to be de-
termined by 2 Justi-
ces. The whole to
the Informer, and if
not paid in twenty
Days, leviabie by
Distress, &c. and if
none, they may com-
mit not exceeding 3
Months.

Ibid. Sect. 10, 11.

Forty Shillings.
Ibid. Sect. 2.

Thirty Shillings.
Ibid. Sect. 5.

Twenty-two Shil-
lings.
Ibid. Sect. 3.

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And if Deceitful- ly Dyed.	Twelve Shillings. <i>Ibid.</i> Sect. 6.
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For every Cloth falsly and deceitful- ly dyed (as Woaded) Black, not being Woaded throughout of 44 Yards or more.	Forty Shillings. <i>Ibid.</i> Sect. 4.
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For every Perpe- trana or Stuff so dy- ed.	Four Shillings. <i>Ibid.</i> Sect. 7.
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And so in Propor-
tion for every other
Woollen Goods dyed
as for Woaded Blacks.

All Woollen Goods truly Mather'd Black to be mark'd with a Red Rose and a Blew Rose, and all such Goods woaded Black throughout, with a Blew Rose only. And counter- feiting Marks, or af- fixing such Marks to Woollen Goods de- ceitfully dyed.	Forfeits 4 <i>l.</i> for e- very Piece of Goods, <i>Ibid.</i> Sect. 8.
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<i>Offences.</i>	Dyers.	<i>Penalties.</i>
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Also using of Logwood in dying Blew, incurs the following Penalties ; viz.

For every Piece of Cloth of 44 Yards or more, so dyed.	Forty Shillings. <i>Ibid.</i> Sect. 9.
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For a long Bock- ing Bays of 70 Yards, &c.	Twenty-two Shil- lings. <i>Ibid.</i> Sect. 9.
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For a Colchester Bays of thirty five Yards, &c.	Twelve Shillings. <i>Ibid.</i> Sect. 9.
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For a Perpetuana or Stuff of 24 Yards, &c.	Four Shillings. <i>Ibid.</i> Sect. 9.
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Prosecutions for the said Penalties are to be within 40 Days after the Offence discovered. And Persons aggrieved by the two Justices Judgment may, on giving Notice, appeal to the next Quarter-Sessions, who are finally to determine, and may award Costs, &c. *Ibid.* Sect. 12.

All Penalties not exceeding 5*l.* are de-terminable by two Justices or Quarter-Sessions

Offences. *Dyers.* *Penalties.*

sions, *ut supra* : But if the Offence be within *London*, or 10 Miles, are one Moiety to the Informer, and the other to the Company of Dyers ; and if above 10 Miles from *London*, the whole to the Informer. *Ibid.* Sect. 11.

[2. Sect.] Within *London* and 10 Miles thereof, the Dyers Company, and above 10 Miles the Quarter-Sessions are to appoint *Searchers*, who (with a Peace-Officer) may by Day enter Shops, Warehouses or Workhouses of Dyers, &c. to search and examine Cloths, Bays, Stuffs, &c. dyed or to be dyed Black or Blew ; and opposing, hindring, or refusing such Search, forfeits *Ten Pounds*, to be recovered at *Westminster*, &c. *Ibid.* Sect. 10 and 11.

East-India Company. *Vide Felony.*

Eggs. *Vide Tit. Game.*

Episcopal Ministers and Congregations.
Vide Tit. Church.

Offences. *Estreats.* *Penalties.*

<p>[Dnr] THE Of- ficer who collects <i>Estreats</i> out</p>		<p>40s. to be divided between the King and the Prosecutor. G 3 To</p>
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out of the County-Court, if he levies more than is contained in them. Stat. 11 H. 7. c. 15. Sect. 19.	To examine this Matter, and if the Party be found guilty, to certify the Examination into the Exchequer within 3 Months, on Pain of 40 s. The Certificate is a Conviction.	

[Two] To view the Estreats before the Sheriff issues them out of the County-Court: And there are to be two Parts of them indented and seal'd by the Justices and Sheriff. One Part to remain with the Justices, and the other with the Sheriff.

Stat. 11 H. 7. c. 15. Sect. 17, 18.

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[Quorum] The Justices who are to have the Controlment of the Sheriff, and his Estreats, are to be named in Michaelmas-Sessions, by the Custos Rotulorum, or in his Absence by the Eldest of the Quorum.

Stat. 11 H. 7. c. 15. Sect. 20.

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Offences. Examination. Penalties.

[One] **O**NE accused of Manslaughter or Felony, who for Want of Bail is to be sent to the Gaol, must be *examined* before he send him ; and the Accusers must be bound over to give Evidence, whose Information must be taken in Writing.

Stat. 2 & 3 Phil. & Mar. c. 10.

Excise.

[One] **A**LL Informations, Complaints, and other Proceedings before Justices, by Virtue of the Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. or any other Act or Acts whatsoever, relating to the Duties of Excise, or any other Duty under the Management of the Commissioners of Excise, to be entred and inrolled in *English*. Sect. 23.

<p>[Two] Persons opposing, molesting, or obstructing the Officers of Excise in the due Execution of the Powers or Authorities</p>	<p>Forfeit ten Pounds, to be sued for, recovered and levied or mitigated by such Ways and Means and Methods, as Penalties,</p>
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ties, &c. may by any
Law of Excise.

(Brandy.)

All Distillers, Ma-
kers or Sellers of,
or Dealers in Brandy,
Arrack, Rum, Strong-
Waters, or Spirits, by
Wholesale or Retail,
to make true Entry
in Writing of all
Warehouses, Store-
houses, Rooms, Shops,
Cellars, and Vaults,
made Use of for keep-
ing Brandy, &c. for
Sale, at the next
Excise Office.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21.
Sect. 11.

All Persons who af-
ter the 1 Aug. 1720.
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lers of, or Dealers in
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Sect. 14.

Vide Tit. Brewery.

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like Entry of Warehouse, &c. before they take into their Custody or Possession any Brandy, &c.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. Sect 12.

To be levied, mitigated, and divided, *ut supra.*

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No Brandy, &c. to be brought into such Warehouse, &c. by Distillers, &c. without first giving Notice to Excise-Officer, and producing to and leaving with him an Authentick Certificate that the Duties of such Brandy, &c. have been actually paid or condemned as forfeited, or was Part of the Stock of some Importer, Distiller or Maker who paid the Duty.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. Sect. 13.

On Penalty of forfeiting the Brandy, &c. so brought in without Notice or Certificate, together with the Cask and Vessel.

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(Brandy.)

Distiller, Maker, Seller, or Dealer in Brandy, &c. hindring or refusing Officers of Excise to enter into their Warehouses, &c. to take an Account of Brandy, &c. or shall let, hinder or obstruct Officers in executing Powers given them by the Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. Sect. 14.

No Brandy, &c. to be sold, utter'd, or exposed to Sale by Wholesale or Retail, but when the same shall be in some or one of the said Warehouses, &c. so entered.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. Sect. 15.

No Brandy, &c. exceeding a Gallon, to

50*l.* for every Offence.

To be sued for, levied, mitigated, and divided, *ut supra.*

On Penalty of 40*s.* for every Gallon, &c.

To be levied, mitigated, and divided, *ut supra.*

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to be removed or carried from any Part of *Great Britain* to another by Land or Water, without a Permit or Certificate from one of the Officers of Excise.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. Sect. 17.

&c. so removed, together with the Cask or Vessel.

Note; Persons who shall have in their Custody any Brandy, &c. exceeding the Quantity of 63 Gallons, are deemed Sellers of Brandy, &c. and are subject to the Survey of the Officers of Excise.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. Sect. 18.

Justices residing near the Place where a Seizure of Brandy, &c. clandestinely imported, shall be made, to summon the Person in whose Custody such Brandy, &c. was found, to appear before them, and upon the Appearance or Default of such Person so summoned, may in a summary Way proceed upon, hear, examine into, determine, and give Judgment for the Condemnation of such Brandy, &c. And if it shall be found to be forfeited, to issue out their War-

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(Brandy.)

arrant for Sale of such Brandy, &c. together with the Cask or Vessel.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. Sect. 20.

Judgment of the Justices is final, and not liable to *Appeal* or *Certiorari*.

When Brandy, &c. is seized as aforesaid, and no Claim made in 20 Days, the Officer must cause Publick Notice to be given by Proclamation the next Market-Day after the said 20 Days, of the Day and Place when and where the Justices will proceed to examine into the Cause of such Seizure, and to give Judgment for the Condemnation of such Brandy, &c. so seized.

Judgment final and not liable to Appeal or *Certiorari*.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. Sect. 21.

Note; In both these last Cases, Justices have no Jurisdiction within the Limits of the Chief Excise-Office in *London*. Nor in Cases where the Seizure is made for unlawful Importation, and the whole Quantity of Brandy, &c. at any one Time for that Cause seized, doth exceed 63 Gallons.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. Sect. 20.

Master

lties. Offences. Exercise. Penalties.

(Wandyp.)

Master and Purser of any Ship who shall suffer any Brandy, &c. or other uncustomed or prohibited Goods, to be put out of his Ship or Vessel into any Hoy, Lighter, Boat, or Bottom, to be laid on Land; or shall suffer any Wool, Woolfells, Mortlings, Shortlings, Yarn made of Wool, Woolflocks, Fullers - Earth, Fulling-Clay, or Tobacco-pipe Clay, to be put on board such Ship to be carry'd beyond Sea.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. Sect. 31.

If convicted, shall (besides the Penalties and Forfeitures to which they will be liable by any Law now in Being) suffer 6 Months Imprisonment without Bail or Mainprize.

(Brewers.)

[Dnr] To take the Oath of two able Artists to compute the Contents and Gauge of all Brewing-Vessels.

Stat. 15 Car. 2. c. 11. Sect. 7.

Offences.

Excise.

Penalties.

(Brewers.)

[Two] Brewers not making true Entries once a Week.

Stat. 12 Car. 2. c. 23 & 24. Sect. 16, 17. 1 W. & M. Sess. 1. c. 24.

One Witness, or Confession.

The Prosecution must be within three Months.

Five Pounds, and ten Pounds more, to be levied by Distress and Sale, if not redeemed in 14 Days; and for Want of Distress, to be Imprison'd till Satisfaction made.

The Forfeiture may be mitigated, so as it be not less than double the Duty of Excise, besides Costs and Charges.

Three Fourths to the King, and one to the Informer, after Charges deducted.

Note; The first Warrant must be return'd, That there is no Distress, before a second Warrant can issue, to take the Body.

Brewers not paying within a Week, and Retailers within a Month after making their Entries.

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Double the Duty, to be levied and mitigated, *ut supra*.

Offences.

Excise.

Penalties.

(Brewers.)

Stat. 12 Car. 2. c.
23. Sect. 17. c. 24.
Sect. 31.

Prosecution and
Conviction, *ut supra*.

Brewers, Victual-
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refusing Gaugers to
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bid by Gaugers to
sell, selling or deli-
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quors, not having
paid the Duty.

Stat. 12 Car. 2. c.
23. Sect. 19. c. 24.
Sect. 32. 1 W. & M.
Sess. 1. c. 24.

Prosecution and
Conviction, *ut supra*.

Brewers making
false Entries.

Stat. 12 Car. 2. c.
23. Sect. 23.

Prosecution and
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double Value. To
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and divided, *ut supra*.

Over and above
the said Penalties,
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ance for Waste and
Leakage for six
Months.

Fifty Pounds for
every Tun, &c. to be
levied

Offences.

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(Brewers.)

tice at the next Excise-Office, setting up, altering or enlarging any Tun, Fat, Back, Cooler, or Copper, and using them, or keeping any private Storehouse for laying such Liquors in Cask.

Stat. 15 Car. 2. c. 11. Sect. 1.

1 W. & M.

Sess. 1. c. 24.

Two Witnesses.

Informations to be brought in 3 Months, and Notice given in a Week after Information brought.

Persons in whose Occupation the House, &c. is, where a conceal'd Tun, &c. shall be discovered.

Stat. 15 Car. 2. c. 11. Sect. 1.

Prosecution and Conviction, *ut supra*.

Note;

levied by Distress and Sale; and for want

To be committed to the County-Gaol for 3 Months.

One Third to the King, one Third to the Poor, and one Third to the Informer.

200 Pounds by Stat. 8 W. 3. c. 19. Sect. 8.

Fifty Pounds, to be levied and employ'd, *ut supra*.

Or he to be punished, *ut supra*; and also such Tun, &c. with the Beer, &c. to be seized and delivered to the Overseers of the Poor, to be sold for

(Brewers).

Note; There must be an Adjudication of this specifick Forfeiture before the Justices, before a Sale, for the Use of the Poor; or a Distribution amongst them.

for their Use, or distributed amongst them.

Brewers delivering, or carrying out Ale, or Beer, to his Customers in any City, &c. before Notice, unless between Three in the Morning and Nine in the Evening, from *March 25 to September 29*, unless between Five in the Morning and Seven in the Evening, from *29 Sept. to 25 March*.

Stat. 15 Car. 2. c. 11. Sect. 11.

Conviction, and Prosecution, *ut supra*.

Brewers converting small Drink into strong, by Mixture, after

Twenty Shillings a Barrel, to be levied and employed, and the Party punish'd, *ut supra*.

Twenty Shillings a Barrel, to be levied and

Offences.

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after the Gauge taken, without Notice to a Gauger, or hiding, or concealing Drink ungauged.

Stat. 15 Car. 2. c. 11. Sect. 12.

Conviction, and Prosecution, *ut supra.*

Brewers not shewing to the Gaugers all the Beer, Ale, or Worts of every Guile.

Stat. 1 W. & M. Sess. 1. c. 24. Sect. 10.

Conviction and Prosecution, *ut supra.*

Brewers or Victuallers cleansing before the whole Guile is brew'd off.

Stat. 7 W. 3. c. 30. Sect. 21.

and employed, and the Party punished, *ut supra.*

To have no Benefit of the *Proviso* in 15 Car. 2. touching Mis Entry, and incurs all the Penalties imposed by the former Acts.

Forty Shillings a Barrel, to be recover'd and employ'd, *ut supra.*

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Brewers or Victuallers, refusing Gauger to enter and stay in his Brewhouse, to see the Guile brew'd off

Stat. 7. W. 3. c. 30. Sect. 22.

Twenty Pounds, to be recovered, and employed, *ut supra*.

Brewer or Inn-keeper, upon carrying out Drink, or after carried out, mixing any Small with Strong, upon the Dray, or in the Victualler's Cellar.

Stat. 7 W. 3. c. 30. Sect. 23.

Five Pounds, to be recovered and employed, *ut supra*.

Brewer, Distiller, or any other, obstructing the Officer in searching for private Tun, Back, Cask, &c.

Stat. 7 W. 3. c. 30. Sect. 27.

Twenty Pounds, to be recover'd and employed, *ut supra*.

Brewer refusing to declare his Length.
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Twenty Shillings a Barrel, for the whole

Offences.

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Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.
c. 18. Sect. 2.

whole Guile ; to be recovered and employed, *ut supra*, and to be charged strong.

Brewer making any Increase, or found laid off, after the Length declared.

Five Pounds a Barrel, to be recovered and employed, *ut supra*.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.
c. 18. Sect. 2.

Brewer's Servant concern'd in making such Increase.

Twenty Shillings, to be recover'd and employed, *ut supra*.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.
c. 18. Sect. 2.

Brewer keeping any private Pipe or Conveyance, &c. or Hole in any Tun, &c.

100 Pounds, to be recovered and employed, *ut supra*.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.
c. 18. Sect. 4.

Brewer, or other Person obstructing the Officer in searching for such Pipes.

50 Pounds, to be recovered and employed, *ut supra*.

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Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.
c. 18. Sect. 6.

Brewers carrying out and delivering any Wash, Tilts, &c. to any Distiller, or Vinegar-Maker without Notice.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.
c. 18. Sect. 9.

Brewer, Inn-keeper, &c. using or mixing any Sugar, Honey, foreign Grains, Guinea-Pepper, *Essentia Bine*, *Coctus Indie*, or any other unwholesome Ingredients in brewing Beer, or Ale, &c.

Stat. 1 Ann. Sect.
2. c. 3. Sect. 29.

Twenty Shillings a Barrel, to be recover'd and employed, *ut supra*.

Twenty Pounds, to be recover'd and disposed, *ut supra*.

Brewers who conspire to sell their Drink but at certain Prices.

Vide Tit. Conspiracies.

Cyder-Makers.

[The] Makers of Cyder concealing it.

Stat.

Forty Shillings a Hoghead, and so propor-

Offences. Excise. Penalties.

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Stat. 7 W. 3. c. 30.
Sect. 16.

proportionably, to
be levied and em-
ployed, *ut supra*.

Makers of Cyder,
&c. refusing Gauger
to enter and take
Account.

Fifteen Pounds, to
be levied and em-
ployed, *ut supra*.

Stat. 7 W. 3. c. 30.
Sect. 16.

Makers of Cyder
delivering any Wash,
or Cyder to any Di-
stilller, or Vinegar-
Maker, without No-
tice.

Twenty Shillings
a Barrel, to be reco-
vered and employ'd,
ut supra.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.
c. 18. Sect. 9.

(Distillers.)

[One] Persons ma-
king or keeping any
Wash, Cyder, or o-
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Distillation; and ha-
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Possession or Occu-
pation any Still, or
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Gallons or upwards,
shall be deemed a
Common Distiller.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.
c. 18. Sect. 11.

Conviction upon
the Oath of one or
more credible Wit-
nesses.

When any Person
is suspected to con-
ceal any Still, Back,
or other Vessels, Spi-
rits, Low-Wines, or
other Materials for
Distillation.

Stat. 10 & 11 W.
3. c. 4. Sect. 7.

[Two] Distillers of
Low-Wines, remo-
ving them after Ac-
count taken by
the Gauger, without
drawing them off a
second time.

Stat. 1 W. & M.
Sess. 1. c. 24. Sect. 3.
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Upon an Affidavit
declaring the Grounds
of such Suspicion, To
grant a Warrant to
search for, and seise
such Still, &c. And
if not claim'd by the
Owner in 20 Days,
to be sold by the
Commissioners of Ex-
cise.

Five Shillings a
Gallon, to be levi-
ed by Distress and
Sale.

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Penalties.

(Distillers.)

Conviction by two
Witnesses.

Prosecution in 3
Months; Notice in a
Week, as against
Brewers: And so for
all other Offences.

Distillers, on Re-
quest of a Gauger in
the Day-time, or in
the Night, in Pre-
sence of a Constable,
refusing to permit
Gauger to enter his
Dwelling-house.

Stat. 1 W. & M.
Sess. 1. c. 24. Sect. 9.

Conviction, *ut supra*.

Double the Value,
and Five Pounds and
Ten Pounds, and no
Need of proving
Sale, &c. before Duty
paid, &c. to be
levied and employ'd,
ut supra.

To hear and determine Complaints of
Over-charges upon Oath, or other due
Proof.

Stat. 1 W. & M. Sess. 1. c. 24. Sect. 13.

Distillers setting
up, making use of,
or altering any Tun,
Cask, &c. for the
brewing,

Twenty Pounds,
to be levied, *ut supra*.

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brewing, or making any Wash, Low-Wines, or Spirits for Sale; or making use of any private Warehouse, Cellar, or other Place for laying of any Wash, &c. without first giving Notice at the next Office of Excise: And the Persons in whose Occupation such Tun, &c. shall be found.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 15. Sect. 1.

Distillers hiding, concealing, or conveying any Low-Wines, Spirits, or Strong Waters from the Sight of the Gauger.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 15. Sect. 2.

Distillers preparing any Wash, or other Material, before he has drawn

One Moiety to the King, the other to the Informer.

Five Shillings a Gallon.

To be recovered as by 12 & 13 Car. 2. and employed, *ut supra*.

Five Pounds a Barrel, to be levied *ut supra*.

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off all the Liquors
made from Corn.

Stat. 7 W. 3. c. 30.
Sect. 8.

Distillers refusing
Gauger to stay in the
Still-house, to see the
Stills wrought off,
&c.

Stat. 7 W. 3. c. 30.
Sect. 12.

Distillers carrying
out Spirits, or work-
ing Stills, at other
Hours than, from
Michaelmas to *Lady-
Day*, between 5 in
the Morning and 8
at Night; and from
Lady-Day to *Micha-
elmas*, between 3 in
Morning and 9 at
Night.

Stat. 7 W. 3. c. 30.
Sect. 15.

Distiller, or any
other obstructing the
Officer in searching
for

One Moiety to the
King, the other to
the Informer.

Twenty Pounds,
to be levied and em-
ployed, *ut supra*.

Ten Pounds to be
levied and employ-
ed, *ut supra*.

Twenty Pounds, to
be recover'd and em-
ploy'd *ut supra*.

Penalties. *Excise.* *Offences.*

(Distillers.)

for private Tun,
Back, Cask, &c.

Stat. 7. W. 3. c. 30.
Sect. 27.

Distiller keeping
any private Pipe,
Hole, or other Con-
veyance, &c. from
one Vessel to ano-
ther.

Stat. 10 & 11 W.
3. c. 4. Sect. 3.

Distiller, or other
Person obstructing
the Officer in search-
ing for private Pipe,
&c.

Stat. 10 & 11 W.
3. c. 4. Sect. 5.

Distiller keeping
any private Still, or
other Vessel, he or
other hindring the
Officer in searching
for the same; and
Person in whose Cu-
stody such Still or
Vessel shall be found.

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One hundred
Pounds, to be reco-
vered and disposed,
ut supra.

One hundred
Pounds, to be reco-
vered and disposed,
ut supra.

Two hundred
Pounds, to be reco-
vered and disposed,
ut supra.

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Excise.
(Distillers).

Penalties.

Stat. 10 & 11 W.
3. c. 4. Sect. 7.

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ther compound Spi-
rits, after 25 Decem.
1729. to pay as a
Duty.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c.
17. Sect. 1.

Five Shillings per
Gallon.

The said Duties put under Management
of the Commissioners of Excise, and the
Powers given by 12 Car. 2. and other Ex-
cise Acts to be in Force.

Ibid. Sect. 2 and 3.

Compound Distil-
lers before the said
25 December, to enter
their Stills, Backs,
Tuns, Casks, &c. at
the next Excise Of-
fice.

Ibid. Sect. 4.

On Penalty of
20 l.

And all who after
said 25. December be-
come such Distillers,

On like Penalties.

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to make the like Entries.

Ibid. Sect. 5.

No Compound Liquors, &c. to be brought into any Warehouse, Shop, &c. without Notice to and Certificate of the Excise-Officer, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 6.

Such Liquors to be sold only in entered Warehouses, Shops, Cellars, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 7.

Such Distillers to keep the Produce of each Still separate for 24 Hours, or till Survey'd, on Forfeiture

And Concealing or Conveying away such Liquors.

Ibid. Sect. 8.

Not

On Forfeiture of the Liquors, Casks, &c.

On Forfeiture of 40 s. per Gallon.

Of all Liquors not kept separate.

Forty Shillings per Gallon.

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(Distillers.)

Not to set Stills at work (or carrying out Liquors, &c.) without Notice to the Excise-Officer, and *inter* 29 of Sept. and 25. of March, between 5 in the Morning and 8 in the Evening, and from 25 of March to 29 September, between 3 in the Morning and 9 in the Evening.

Ibid. Sect. 9.

Twenty Pounds for each Offence.

No Increase to be made of Liquors after the Officer has survey'd and taken an Account thereof.

Ibid. Sect. 10.

Forty Shillings for every Gallon added.

But adding other Liquors in Sight of the Officer, the Increase only to be charged; yet putting Spirits to Berries, Spices, &c. no Officer present, the whole Quantity to be charged.

Ibid. Sect. 10.

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for After the said 25 Forty Shillings per
December, none to di- Gallon.
still or have in their
Custody Spirits un-
der Proof, nor sell
or expose such Spi-
rits.

Ibid. Sect. 11.

for Officers by Day Forfeits 50 l.
ded. (or by Night, with
a Constable) may
enter Still-houses,
Store-houses, Shops,
&c. and resisting or
hindring them.

Ibid. Sect. 12.

of Retailers of such Twenty Pounds.
be Liquors (under a
ries, Gallon) to pay for
hole a Licence.

Ibid. Sect. 13.

after Licence to be renewed yearly, ten
Days before it Expires, on Forfeiture of
50 l. *Ibid.* Sect. 14.

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Penalties.

(Distillers.)

Officers, after the said 25 December, may take off the Heads of the Stills to discover the Ingredients, and hindring the Officer therein.

Forfeits 50*l*.

And not producing his Licence to the Officer or other authorised to demand it.

Twenty Pounds.

Ibid. Sect. 15.

After 1 July, 1729. none to sell Brandy, &c. about the Street, or on the Water, or on any Bulk, &c. (See Brandy).

On Forfeiture of 10*l*.

Ibid. Sect. 16.

This Act to continue Five Years, and to the End of the next Session of Parliament; and not to extend to charge with the Duties, Arrack, Rum, Citron-Water or Usquebaugh, or *Aqua Vita* consumed in Scotland, or British Brandies in which the Ingredients are used for rectifying only.

Ibid. Sect. 18, 19, 20, 21.

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(Gaugers.)

[Two] Gaugers who do not weekly deliver to Brewers a true Copy, under their Hands, of the Return he charges him with.

Stat. 15 Car. 2. c. 11. Sect. 5.

Two Witnesses.

Informations to be brought in 3 Months, and Notice given in a Week after Information brought.

Gauger taking a Bribe to make a false Return, and the Party who gives the Bribe.

Stat. 15 Car. 2. c. 11. Sect. 16.

Gaugers not leaving Notes with Brewers of the last Gauges.

Stat. 1 W. & M. Sess. 1. c. 24. Sect. 12.

40 s. for every Neglect, to be levied by Distress and Sale; and for Want, to be committed to the County-Gaol for 3 Months.

One Third to the King, one Third to the Poor, one Third to the Informer.

Ten Pounds for every Offence, to be levied and employ'd, or the Party punished, *ut supra*.

Forty Shillings to be levied, *ut supra*.

Offences.

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(Gaugers.)

To adjudge what Satisfaction the *Gaugers* and Officers of the Excise shall make, where any Door or House is broken open, and no private or concealed Back, Still, or other Vessel, Spirits, Low-Wines, Wash, or other Materials for Distillation shall be found.

Stat. 10 & 11 W. 3. c. 4. Sect. 8.

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(Makers of Mead, Vinegar, Metheglin and Sweets.)

[*Text*] Makers of Vinegar, Mead, Metheglin, or Sweets for Sale, concealing them.

Stat. 7 W. 3. c. 30. Sect. 16.

Forty Shillings for every Barrel of Vinegar or Sweets so hid, and so proportionably. And five Shillings for every Gallon of Mead or Metheglin.

To be levied, *ut supra*.

One Moiety to the King, the other to the Informer.

Makers of Vinegar, &c. refusing Gauger to enter and take Account.

15 l. to be levied, and employed, *ut supra*.

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Makers of Vinegar, &c.

Stat. 7 W. 3. c. 30.
Sect. 17.

Makers of *Vinegar* and *Sweets*, carrying them out without Notice, at other Hours than from *Michaelmas* to *Lady-day*, between Five in the Morning, and Eight at Night; and from *Lady-day* to *Michaelmas* between Three in the Morning, and Nine at Night.

Stat. 7 W. 3. c. 30.
Sect. 18.

Sweet-makers setting up, or using any private Steeping-Tub, Tun, &c. without Notice, &c.

Stat. 8 W. 3. c. 21.
Sect. 12.

Vinegar makers receiving *Liquors* in, or delivering *Vinegar* out at other Hours than,

40 s. a Barrel, to be recovered and employed, *ut supra*.

50 l. to be recovered and employed, *ut supra*.

50 l. to be recovered, and disposed, *ut supra*.

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Makers of Vinegar, &c.

than, from 29 Sept.
to 25 March, between
7 in the Morning
and 5 in the Even-
ing; and from 25
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between 5 in the
Morning and 7 in
the Evening.

Stat. 10 & 11 W.
3. c. 21. Sect. 12.

Vinegar-maker, tak-
ing in Liquors, and
mixing them with
other Liquors, before
he shews them to the
Gauger.

Stat. 10 & 11 W.
3. c. 21. Sect. 13.

Vinegar-maker keep-
ing a private Store-
house, Cellar, &c.

Stat. 10 & 11 W. 3.
c. 21. Sect. 14.

Sweets made for
Sale, for which the
Duty is paid, or char-
ged by the Excise-Of-
ficer,

Twenty Pounds, to
be recovered and dis-
posed, *ut supra*.

Fifty Pounds, to be
recovered and dis-
posed, *ut supra*.

Forfeit respective-
ly 10 Shillings per
Gallon, together with
the Casks and Vess-
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(Makers of Vinegar, &c.)

licer, not to be removed from one Place to another, without Certificate under the Hand of the Officer of Excise of the Place from whence such Sweets are so to be sent or remov'd. The Maker who shall send or remove such Sweets, and Vintner who shall receive or take them without Certificate.

Stat. 6 Geo. I. c. 21. Sect. 22.

The Judgment is final, and liable to no Appeal, or Certiorari.

sels containing the same.

To be seized by Officers of *Excise*

And to be proceeded upon, heard, examined into, adjudged and determined by the same Ways and Means, and in the same Manner and Form as is prescribed to be done upon Seisures of Brandy, &c.

Vide Tit. Brandy and Brewers, ante.

Note; Justices have no Jurisdiction within the Limits of the Chief Office of *Excise* in London.

Stat. 6 Geo. I. c. 21. Sect. 22.

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(*Innkeeper or Victualler.*)

[Two] *Innkeepers*, not making true Entries once a Month.

Stat. 12 Car. 2. c. 16, 23 and 24.

Sect. 30.

— 1 W. & M.

Sess. 1. c. 24.

One Witness, or Confession.

The Prosecution must be within three Months.

Five Pounds, and five Pounds more, to be levied, mitigated, and divided in the same Manner as the Penalty on Brewers, not making true Entries once a Week.

Vide Brewers ante.

Inn keeper or Victualler refusing Gauger to enter their Cellars, and taste the Drink.

Stat. 7 W. 3. c. 30.
Sect. 23.

Five Pounds, to be levied by Distress and Sale. One Moiety to the King, the other to the Informer.

(*Low-Wines.*)

[Two] Low-Wines or Spirits brought by Sea Coastwise from any Port or Place in this Kingdom to another, without

Forfeited, and may be seized by the Officers of the Customs or Excise.

To be su'd for, recover'd, determin'd, and

Offences.

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Penalties.

(Low-Mines.)

without a Certificate from the Officer of Excise, that the Duty has been paid.

Stat. 3 Geo. 1. c. 4. Sect. 17.

and mitigated as Penalties may by any the Laws of Excise.

One Moiety to the King, the other to the Person that shall sue or inform.

(Malt.)

[Two] *Malster* or *Maker of Malt* for Sale, or Exportation, who shall cause, or permit any Barley, or other Corn or Grain making into Malt, to be *Steeped*, *Wetted*, or *Watered*, upon the Couch or Floor, or in any other Place, but in Cisterns or Uing Vats duly entred at the Office of Excise of the Division or Place where such Malt shall be wetted.

Stat.

Forfeits 2 s. 6 d. for every Bushel of Malt so *steeped*, *wetted*, or *watered*.

To be sued for, recover'd, and levied or mitigated, by such Ways, and Means, and Methods, as Penalties or Forfeitures may by any Laws of Excise.

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(Balt.)

Stat. 6 Geo. I. c.
21. Sect. 1.

Malster, or Maker of Malt for Sale, or Exportation, who shall cause or permit any Corn or Grain by him making into Malt, to be worked or made in such Manner, that the same shall acrespire, that is to say, run out, grow, or sprout at that End of the Corn or Grain from which the Blade proceeds.

Stat. 6 Geo. I. c.
21. Sect. 2.

Excise Officer discovering such acrespired Corn, or Grain making into Malt, to give Notice thereof in Writing within 48 Hours to the Malster, or Maker of such Malt

Forfeits 5 s. for every Bushel.

To be recovered, levied, or mitigated, *ut supra.*

On Penalty of 40 s. for every Neglect of such Notice, *ut supra.*

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(Malt.)

Malt or his Servant.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21.

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Person or Persons
Shipping, or who shall
cause, or procure to
be shipp'd, Malt
mix'd with unmalt-
ed Oats, or Barley.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c.

21. Se^ct. 4.

Exporter of Malt
to give 48 Hours No-
tice in writing to the
Port-Officer of the
Day and Hour when
Malt intended to be
shipped, or put on
Board for Exporta-
tion, shall begin to
be put on Board,
(and also of the
Name of the Ship,
&c. by 12 Geo. 1. c.
4. Se^ct. 56.)

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c.

21. Se^ct. 6.

Forfeits 5 s. for
every Bushel, *ut su-
pra*.

Five Shillings for
every Bushel of Malt,
shipped or put on
Board without No-
tice, *ut supra*.

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(Malt.)

Every Malster or Maker of Malt (other than Compounder for the Duty on Malt) where Corn in any Cistern or Uting Vat is steeping, or steeped, in order to be made into Malt, shall be found so hard, close, and compact, as it could not be, unless it had been forced together, to prevent the rising and swelling thereof.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. Sect. 8.

Two Shillings and Sixpence for every Bushel of such Corn steeping or steeped, which shall be found so hard, close, and compact, *ut supra*.

See the Stat. 12 Geo.

1. c. 4. and 2 Geo.

2. c. 1. Tit. Malt.

[*¶* 1. *¶* 1.] Upon Appeals against Original Judgments, given by particular Justices, upon Information for Offences committed contrary to the Acts relating to the Duties upon *Malt*, the Duties upon *Hides*, &c. and upon *Vellum* and *Parchment*, to rehear, examine, and consider the Truth and Merits of the Facts in Question, and to re-examine the Witnesses upon Oath, and finally determine; and may rectify and amend Defects of Form in Proceedings before

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(Walt.)

fore the Justices, who gave such Original Judgments.

Stat. 6 Geo. I. c. 21. Sect. 10.

Vide Walt, post.

Retailers of Beer, Ale, Cyder, Perry, Metheglin, &c.)

[Two] Retailers of Beer, Ale, Cyder, Perry, Metheglin, or Strong Waters, not making true Entries once a Month.

Stat. 12 Car. 2. c. 23. Sect. 15. c. 24. Sect. 29.

— 1 W. & M. Sess. I. c. 24.

One Witness, or Confession.

The Prosecution must be within three Months.

Retailers of Beer, &c. after Receipt from Brewer, mixing Beer, &c. of extraordinary Strength, with any Small Beer, &c.

20s. and 20s. more, to be levied, mitigated, and divided in the same Manner as the Penalty on Brewers, not making true Entries once a Month.

Vide Brewers, ante.

Double the Duty of Strong so mix'd; to be levied by Distress and Sale.

One Third to the King; one Third to the

Offences.

Excise.

Penalties.

(Retailers of Beer, &c.)

Exc. in a Vessel that holds three Gallons, or more.

Stat. 22 & 23 Car. 2. c. 5. Sect. 11.

the Poor ; and one Third to the Informer.

Witnesses refusing to appear.

Stat. 22 & 23 Car. 2. c. 5. Sect. 11.

40 s. to be levied and dispos'd, *ut supra*. Increased to 10*l*. by 7 & 8 W. 3. c. 30. Sect. 19.

Fairs.

[D. Sect.] **O**wner of a Fair or Market, not appointing a *Toll-taker* (where Toll is taken) or a *Book-keeper* (where Toll is paid) to sit there from 10 of the Clock in the Forenoon, till Sunset.

Stat. 2 & 3 P. & M. c. 7. Sect. 2.

40 s. for every Default, to be divided between the King and Prosecutor.

The Toll-taker or Book keeper not deliver-

40 s. to be divided, *ut supra*.

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ner, a Note of all
Horses sold there.

Stat. 2 & 3 P. &
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Every Seller or
Exchanger of an
Horse, in a Fair or
Market, which be-
ing unknown to the
Toll-taker or Book-
keeper, doth not
procure one credi-
ble Witness, that is
well known unto him,
to vouch the Sale of
the same Horse, and
every false Voucher;
and the Toll-taker or
Book-keeper who suf-
fers such Sale or Ex-
change to pass.

Stat. 31 Eliz. c. 12.
Sect. 2.

Five Pounds, to be
divided between the
Queen and the Pro-
secutor ; and the
Sale void.

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False

Offences. False Tokens. Penalties

[Two] **T**O con-
vene
by Process, or other-
wise, Persons suspec-
ted to have gotten
Money or other
Thing by False To-
kens, or counterfeit
Letter.

Stat. 33 H. 8. c. 1.
Sect. 3.

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[Qu. Sess.] Persons
obtaining any Mo-
ney, or other Thing,
by Colour of any
False Token, or
counterfeit Letters.

Stat. 33 H. 8. c. 1.
Sect. 2.

Confession or Wit-
nesses.

To commit or bai-
till Assises or Sessi-
ons, or otherwise to
order them at their
Discretion.

To suffer such Pu-
nishment as the Court
shall adjudge, Death
only excepted.

Sellers

Fellers of Oak-Trees.

Offences.

Penalties.

[Qu. Sess.] **F** El-
lers
of Oak-Trees apt for
Barking, where Bark
is worth 2 s. a Cart-
Load (except Tim-
ber for Repair of
Houses, Ships and
Mills) but only be-
tween the first of A-
pril and the last of
June.

Stat. 1 Jac. I. c. 22.
Sect. 20.

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Forfeit the Trees,
or the double Value
of them, to be divi-
ded, one Third to the
King, one to the Pro-
secutor, and the o-
ther to the City, Bo-
rough, Town, or
Lord of the Liberty,
where the Offence is
committed.

Felons. Vide Tit. Transportation.

Felonies by late Statutes. See
Tit. Mint, Turnpikes, Stolen
Goods, &c.

F ORGING or
counterfeiting
Stamps, or using, ut-
tering, or vending
Stamp-

Clergy excluded.

Felonies by late Statutes.

Offences.

Penalties.

Stamp-Paper, knowing it counterfeit.

See the Stat. 5 *W.*
E. M. c. 21. 9 W. 3.
c. 25. 9 Ann. c. 23.
Se&t. 41. 10 Ann. c.
19. 26.

So causing or procuring such counterfeiting, using, &c. Stat. 6 *Geo. 1. c. 21.*
Se&t. 58.

So forging or counterfeiting a Receipt for the Duty on Indentures of Apprenticeship.

Stat. 8 *Ann. c. 9.*

Clergy excluded.

So is the procuring a counterfeit Stamp to be made.

Stat. 6 *Geo. 1. c. 9.*
Se&t. .

Clergy excluded.

[*One*] If any Person after the First of *March 1721.* shall forge or counterfeit, or procure to be forged or counterfeited,

Clergy excluded.

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Felonies by late Statutes.**Offences.****Penalties.**

ed, or knowingly
and wilfully act or
assist in the Forging
or Counterfeiting any
Letter of Attor-
ney or other Autho-
rity or Instrument
to transfer, assign,
sell or convey any
Share or Shares of
any Proprietor of
the Shares of and in
the Capital Stock and
Funds of any *Body*
or Bodies Politick or
Corporate established
by Act of Parlia-
ment; or shall re-
ceive any Annuity
or Dividend attend-
ing the said Shares,
or Counterfeit the
Name of any Pro-
prietor of any such
Share, &c. or falsly
and deceitfully per-
sonate any true Pro-
prietor of such Shares,
&c. or who shall re-
ceive or endeavour

Felonies by late Statutes.

Offences.

Penalties.

to receive the Money of such Proprietor, as if he was the true Proprietor.

Stat. 8 Geo. 1. c. 22.
Sect. 1.

Forging or counterfeiting Exchequer Bills, or any Indorsement thereon, or knowingly tendring the same in Payment, or to be exchanged for ready Money, &c.

Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c. 5.
Sect. 19. (and see Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 1. Sect. 32.)

Altering or counterfeiting Army Debentures, or fraudulently issuing the same.

Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c. 5. Sect. 36.

Clergy excluded.

Clergy excluded.

Forging

Clergy

Felonies by late Statutes.

Offences.

Penalties.

Forging or counterfeiting Orders for Debentures, &c. or procuring thereof, or assisting therein, or of Assignments of such Orders, or of Annuities payable thereon, or of Receipts or Discharges on such Orders, or of Letters of Attorney for assigning the same, or falsely receiving Money due thereon, or counterfeiting the Names of the Proprietors of such Orders, &c. or personating any Proprietor.

Clergy excluded.

Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c. 12. Sect. 4.

Note ; the Penalties of the said Acts 9 Geo. 1. c. 5. and c. 12. are more fully enforced by c. 19. Sect. 11. And as to Exchequer Bills, by Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 1. Sect. 32.

Felonies by late Statutes.

Offences.

Penalties.

John Plunkett and his Aiders, Rescuers, &c. if he breaks Prison or Escapes.

Clergy excluded.

Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c. 15.

Sect. 2.

George Kelley, also *Johnson*, &c. and the like.

Clergy excluded.

Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c. 16.

Sect. 2.

Francis, late Bishop of *Rochester*, Persons concealing him, or aiding him to Return, or holding Intelligence or Correspondence with him, or any employed by him.

Clergy excluded.

Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c.

17. Sect. 2 and 3.

Making Holes in a Ship, stealing its Pump, or doing any thing tending to sink it, &c.

Clergy excluded.

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Felonies by late Statutes.

Offences.

Penalties.

Stat. 12 *Ann.* Sess. |
2. c. 18. Sect. 5.

By the Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, a Prisoner forswearing himself is guilty of Felony, without Benefit of Clergy. Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 20. Sect. 18.

And *note* ; The Act 2 Geo. 2. for more effectual Preventing and further Punishment of Forgery, Perjury, and Subornation of Perjury, and to make it Felony to steal Bonds, Notes, or other Securities for Money, whereby Forging or Counterfeiting (or procuring or assisting therein) or knowingly Publishing any Deed, Will, Bond, Writing Obligatory, Bill of Exchange, or

Felony, and Clergy excluded.

Felonies by late Statutes.

Offences.

Penalties.

Promissory Note for Money; or Indorsement, or Assignment of such Bill or Note, or any Acquittance, or Receipt for Money or Goods with Intent to Defraud.

Ibid. Sect. 1.

Persons found guilty of Perjury or Subornation, may be committed for Correction, (or Transportation) not exceeding seven Years, and if they escape or return within that Time.

Ibid. Sect. 2.

Stealing or taking by Robbery any Exchequer Orders, or Tallies, or Orders in the Annuities, or any Parliamentary Funds,

Felony *sans* Clergy, to be tried in the Place where he escaped, or was apprehended.

Felony with or without Clergy, according to the Value.

Felonies by late Statutes.

Offences.

Penalties.

Funds, or any Ex-
chequer Bills, Bank
Notes, *South-Sea* or
East-India Bonds, Di-
vidend, Warrants of
any Company, Bills
of Exchange, Navy
Bills or Debentures,
Goldsmiths Notes for
Money, or other
Bonds, or Warrants,
Bills or Promissory
Notes for Money,
though only a *Chose*
in Action.

Ibid. Sect. 3.

But no Attainder of these Offences to
work Corruption of Blood, Loss of Dower,
and Disinheritance of Heirs. And the Act to
continue five Years, and to the End of the
next Session. *Ibid.* Sect. 5 and 6.

See Tit. Clothiers, Deer-Stealers, Mint,
& Stamp Duties, Stolen Goods, Turn-
pikes, &c.

See also Tit. Examination and Felony
in the Second Part of this Book, intir-
tuled.

Offences.

Fire.

Penalties.

ruled Cases in Law, where you will see what is *Felony* by *Common Law*, and what by Statute.

fences. Vide *Ditchard*.

fire.

[Two] Church-wardens of every Parish, within the *Weekly Bills of Mortality*, not making, placing, fixing, and continuing Stop-blocks or Fire-cocks on Mains and Pipes, and not having and keeping in Repair a large Engine, Hand-Engine, and Leather Pipe, and Socket.

Stat. 6 Ann. c. 31.
Sect. 1.

Church-warden, where Fire happens, not paying to the Turn-Cock, whose Water

Ten Pounds, to be levied by Distress and Sale.

One Moiety to the Informer, the other to the Poor of the Parish.

Forfeits Ten Shillings to be levied by Distress and Sale.

Offences.

Fire.

Penalties.

Water shall be found on, or first come into the Main or Pipe.

Stat. 6 Ann. c. 31.
Sect. 1.

Church-warden, where Fire happens, not paying to the first Engine-keeper, who brings in a Parish-Engine, 30s. to the second 20s. and to the third 10s.

Stat. 6 Ann. c. 31.
Sect. 1.

Menial, or other Servants, firing any Dwelling-house, or Out-house, through Negligence or Carelessness.

Stat. 6 Ann. c. 31.
Sect. 3.

The 30s. 20s. and 10s. to be levied by Distress and Sale.

100 Pounds, to be paid to the Church-wardens, to be given to Sufferers by Fire; in Case of Default, or Refusal, to be committed to the Work-house, or House of Correction to hard Labour, as the Justices shall think fit.

*Offences.**fire.**Penalties.*

The Owner, or Head-builder, or Workman, who shall build any new House without a Party-Wall between House and House, wholly of Brick and Stone, and two Bricksthick in the Cellar, and Ground-Stories; and if it be not 13 Inches thick upwards, and 18 Inches above the Roof: And if any Moulding, or Cornice, of Timber, or Wood, under the Eaves, shall be made, or suffer'd in any such new House and Houses; and if all Front and Rear Walls of every House and Houses, shall not be built of Brick or Stone, to be carried a Foot and Half above the Garret and Floor, and cop'd with Stone or Brick.

Fifty Pounds a-piece, to be levied by Distress and Sale; and for Want of Distress to be imprison'd till Payment.

One Moiety to the Informer, the other to the Poor.

Actions against Persons where the Fire accidentally begins taken away for three Years.

Stat. 6 *Ann. c.* 31.
Sec. 4. See the Stat.

11 *Geo.*

Offences.

Fire.

Penalties.

11 Geo. 1. c. 28. Tit.
Buildings.

Fireworks. Vide Squibs.

Fish.

[One] **E**Rectors
of Wear
or Wears along the
Sea-Shore, or in any
Haven or Creek, &c.
wilfully destroying
the Spawn or Fry of
Fish.

Stat. 3 Jac. 1. c.
12. Sect. 2.

Fishers in any Ha-
ven or Creek, or in 5
Miles of them, with
any Net of a less Mesh
than 3 Inches and an
Half between Knot
and Knot (except for
the taking Smoulds
in *Norfolk* only) or
with a Canvas Net,
or other Engine,
whereby the Spawn
or Fry of Fish may
be destroyed.

Stat.

Ten Pounds, to be
levied by Distress,
&c. and divided be-
tween the Poor and
the Prosecutor.

The Net or Engine
to be forfeited, and
10 s. to be levied, and
divided, *ut supra*.

*Offences.**Fish.**Penalties.*

Stat. 3 Jac. I. c.
12. Sect. 2.

Persons taking Fish
by any Device, in
any several Water,
or River, or assist-
ing therein, without
the Owner's Consent.

Stat. 22 & 23 Car.
2. c. 25. Sect. 7.

Confession, or one
Witness.

Prosecution to be
in a Month.

Persons keeping
any Net, Angle,
Leap, Piche, or o-
ther Engine for ta-
king Fish, other than
Makers and Sellers
of them, and Ow-
ners

Such Recompence,
and in such Time as
the Justice shall ap-
point, not exceeding
treble Damages; such
Sum to the Overseers
of the Poor as he shall
appoint, not exceed-
ing 10s.

In Default, to be
levied by Distress
and Sale; and for
Want of Distress, to
be committed, not
exceeding a Month;
unless gives Bond
with one or more
Sureties to the Par-
ty injured, not ex-
ceeding ten Pounds,
not to offend again.

Such Engines may
be seised, and kept
by the Owners and
Occupiers of such
Rivers and Fisheries,
or such as they shall
authorise.

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ners or Occupiers of
Rivers or Fisheries.

Stat. 4 & 5 W. &
M. c. 23. Sect. 5.

Inferior Tradesmen,
Apprentices and other
dissolute Persons fish-
ing or fowling, un-
less in Company with
the Master of such
Apprentice qualified
by Law.

Stat. 4 & 5 W. &
M. c. 23. Sect. 10.

Subject to the same
Penalties as Persons
are where Game is
found ; and to be le-
vied and employ'd in
the same Manner.

Vide Tit. Deer, &c.
in Tit. Game.

To grant his Warrant to search the Houses
of Persons prohibited, and suspected to
have Engines for taking Fish, and to seize
or destroy the same.

Stat. 4 & 5 W. & M. c. 23. Sect. 5.

By Warrant to order Nets of less Mesh
or Moke than three Inches and an Half, or
of false or double Bottom, Cod or Pouch,
forfeited, to be publicly burnt.

Stat. 1 Geo. I. c. 18. Sect. 6.

Selling,

Offences.

Fish.

Penalties.

Selling, offering, or exposing to Sale, or exchanging for any other Goods, *Bret* or *Turbet*, under 16 Inches long, *Brill*, or *Pearl* 14 Inches; *Codlin* 12; *Whiting* 6; *Bass* and *Mullet* 12; *Sole*, *Place*, or *Dab* 8; and *Flounder* 7. from the Eyes to the utmost Extent of the Tail.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 18. Sect. 7.

Forfeit the Fish to the Poor, where, &c. and 20 Shillings by Distress.

One Moiety to the Informer, the other to the Poor, where, &c. In Default of Payment, or Want of Distress, to be sent to the House of Correction to be whipt, and put to hard Labour, not longer than 14 Days, nor less than 6.

Note; Persons imprison'd by this Act not liable to pay the Penalty. Sect. 8.

No Prosecution for any Offence against the Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 18. unless commenced in one Month after committed Sect. 9.

Laying or drawing any Kind of Nets, Engines, or Devices, in the Rivers *Severn*, *Dee*, *Wye*, *Thame*, *Were*, *Tees*, *Ribble*, *Mersey*, *Dun*, *Air*, *Ouze*,

Five Pounds for every Offence, besides the Fish taken, and all Nets, &c.

One Moiety of the said Sum to the Informer, the other to the

Offences.

Fishing.

Penalties.

Ouze, Swaile, Caldor, Uharf, Eure, Darwent, and Trent, whereby the Spawn, or small Fry of Salmon, or any Kepper or Shedder-Salmons, or Salmons under 18 Inches long, from the Eye to the Middle of the Tail, shall be taken, kill'd, or destroy'd; or making, erecting, or setting any Bank, Dam, or Hedge, or Stank, or Nets, cross the said Rivers, to take the Salmon, or to hinder them from going up to spawn, or killing Salmon in the said Rivers, between the last of July and 12 November; or fishing for Salmon with unlawful Nets, after the 12th of November.

View, Confession, or one or more Witnesses.

Stat.

the Poor where, &c. to be levied by Distress and Sale, &c.

And for Want of Distress, Commitment to the House of Correction to hard Labour, not exceeding three, nor less than one Month. And to suffer such other corporal Punishment, as the Justice shall think fit.

Nets, &c. to be seized and cut to Pieces in the Presence of the Justice.

To cause Banks, Dams, &c. to be demolished at the charge of Offenders, and such Charges to be levied, *ut supra*.

Offences.

Fish.

Penalties.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 18.
Sect. 14.

No Salmon to be sent to *London* to Fishmongers or their Agents, that shall weigh less than 6 Pounds each Fish. And every Person buying, selling, or sending Salmon under 6 PoundWeights.

View, Confession, or one or more Witnesses.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 18. Sect. 15.

Five Pounds for every Offence, besides the Fish, between Informer and Poor, to be levied, *ut supra*.

And for Want of Distress, Commitment to the House of Correction to hard Labour for three Months, unless paid in the mean Time.

Note ; An Appeal lies upon any Branch of the Statute. 1 Geo. 1. c. 18. to Quarter-Sessions. Sect. 17.

Masters, or Commanders of Smacks, Hoys, Boats, Ships, or other Vessels, importing Fish taken by Foreigners or Strangers, except Protestants inhabiting

Forfeits for every Offence 20 Pounds by Distress, and for Want thereof, 12 Months Imprisonment.

Offences.

Fish.

Penalties.

ing in this Kingdom; to be summoned, and if convicted. Two Witnesses.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 18.
Sect. 2.

Not to extend to the Importing, buying, or selling any Eels, Stockfish, Anchovies, Sturgeon, Botarge, or Cavcar.

Sect. 3.

Or Lobsters and Turbets. Sect. 10.

None to use Nets for fishing at Sea upon the Coast of *England*, (except for Herrings, Pilchards, Sprats, or Lavidnian) with a Mesh or Moke less than three Inches and Half, from Knot to Knot, or with any false or double Bottom, Cod, or Pouch, or shall put Nets of legal Size or Mesh, upon or behind one another. Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 18. Sect. 4.

Liabie to the same Penalties as Masters of Vessels importing Fish contrary to this Act, and the Nets forfeited.

[Two] To issue out Warrants upon their own Knowledge, or upon Information, of unlawful fishing in the River *Severn*, to search all suspected Places for unlawful Instruments,

Offences.

Fish.

Penalties.

Aruments, and to seise them, and bring them to the Quarter-Sessions to be destroyed.

Stat. 30 Car. 2. c. 9. Sect. 3.

[Qu. Sess.] Using any Net or Engine to destroy the Spawn or Fry of Fish, or take Salmon, or Trouts out of Season, or Pikes shorter than 10 Inches, Salmon than 16, Trouts than 8, and Barbels than 12, or using any Engine to take Fish, other than Angle or Net, or a Trammel of 2 Inches and a Half Mesh.

Stat. 1 Eliz. c. 17. Sect. 5.

Unlawfully breaking down Fish-Ponds, or fishing there without the Owners Licence.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 21. Sect. 7.

Twenty Shillings a Fish, and the Net or Engine.

Three Months Imprisonment, and to be bound to the Good Behaviour for 7 Years.

Treble Damages to the Party grieved.

Upon

Offences.

Fish.

Penalties.

Upon the Offender's Acknowledgment in Sessions, and Satisfaction to the Party, the Behaviour may be released.

Fishing in the River *Severn*, with, or making use of any Engine or Device, whereby any Salmon, Trout, or Barbel, under the Length appointed by 1 *Eliz. c. 17.* shall be taken or kill'd, or shall fish with any Net, for Salmon, Peale, Pike, Carp, Trout, Barbel, Chub, or Grayling, the Mesh whereof shall be under 2 Inches and an Half square from Knot to Knot, or above 20 Yards in Length, and 2 in Breadth; or above 50 Yards in Length, and 6 in Breadth in the Wing of the Net, from *Rip-*
ple-

Five Pounds for every Offence, and the Fish so taken, and the Instruments.

One Moiety to the Poor, the other to the Prosecutor.

Offences.

Fish.

Penalties.

ple-Lock Stake to *Gloucester* Bridge ; or above 60 Yards in Length below *Gloucester* Bridge, and 6 Yards in Breadth in the Wing of the Net, or shall fish with more than one of those Nets at once, or shall use any Device for taking the Fry of Eels.

Stat. 30 Car. 2. c. 9. Sect. 1.

Every Person who, between the first of *March* and the last of *May*, shall do any Act whereby the Spawn of Fish shall be destroyed.

Stat. 30 Car. 2. c. 9. Sect. 2.

Forty Shillings, and the Instrument, to be divided, *ut supra*.

flesh.

[D. Sect.] Persons preaching, or otherwise avouch-

To be punish'd as Spreaders of false News.

lies

Offences.

Fish.

Penalties.

avouching or notifying, That any eating of Flesh, or forbearing of Flesh, is necessary for the Service of God, otherwise than as other political Laws be.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 5.
Sect. 40.

Forcible Entry and Detainer.

[DUE] **E**Ntring into Lands and Tenements by Force, and detaining them by Force.

Stat. 5 R. 2. c. 7.

— 15 R. 2. c. 2.

Sect. 2.

— 8 H. 6. c. 9.

Sect. 1.

Imprisonment, and Ransom at the King's Pleasure.

Note; The Statute of 8 H. 6. c. 9. shall indamage none, where peaceable Possession hath been enjoyed 3 Years.

Stat. 31 Eliz. c. 11.

Upon View.

Upon Complaint of a *Forcible Entry* or *Detainer*, by Precept to command the *Sheriff* to return a Jury to enquire of the Force
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Forcible Entry and Detainer.

Offences.

Penalties.

committed, and to cause the Tenements to be seised.

Stat. 8 H. 6. c. 9. Sect. 4.

Jurors returned to enquire of a Forcible Entry, making Default.

Stat. 8 Hen. 6. c. 9. Sect. 4.

Issues, 20 Shillings upon the first Precept, 40 Shillings upon the second, 5 Pounds upon the third, and every Default after, double.

To give Restitution upon *Force* or *Detainer* to Tenants for Years, by *Elegit*, Statute Merchant, or Staple; and Copyholders, as well as those who claim Freehold or Inheritance: And may fine or commit.

Stat. 21 Jac. 1. c. 15. By Enquiry.

[*D. Sess.*] The Sheriff or Bailiff neglecting his Duty in the Case of *Forcible Entry* or *Detainer*.

Stat. 8 H. 6. c. 9. Sect. 5.

Twenty Pounds, to be divided between the King and the Prosecutor.

Foretallers and Ingrossers.

Offences.

[O. Stat.] **I** Ngrossers of Bark, to the Intent to sell the same again.

Stat. 1 Jac. 1. c. 22. Sect. 19.

Foretallers, Regrators, Ingrossers of Merchandises, Victuals, &c.

Stat. 5 & 6 Ed. 6. c. 14. Sect. 4, 5.

By Inquisition, Presentment, Bill, or Information, or two Witnesses.

Extends not to buying Barley or Oats to make Malt or Oatmeal, nor Provision of any Town Corporate, Ship, &c.

or

Penalties.

Forfeit the Bark, or the Value of it, to be divided, one Third to the King, the other to the Prosecutor, and the other to the City, Borough, Town, or Lord of the Liberty where the Offence is committed.

First Offence, the Value of the Goods and two Months Imprisonment, without Bail.

Second Offence, double Value, and six Months Imprisonment, without Bail.

Third Offence, all his Goods, to be set in the Pillory, and Imprisonment during the King's Pleasure.

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Foretallers and Ingrossers.

Offences.

or any Fishmonger, Innholder, Victualler, Butcher, Poulterer, or People living within a Mile of the Sea, which are to buy or sell Fish, they retailing the same at reasonable Prices; or to any Badger, Kidder, or Carrier, licensed by three Justices, and selling in one Month; nor to taking any thing reserved on a Lease, so as all be done without Fraud and Foretalling; nor to restrain Transportation of Corn, or Cattle, allowed by three Justices; nor to Wines, Oil, &c. or other Victuals brought from beyond Sea, Fish and Salt only excepted.

Stat. 13 *Eliz.* c. 25.
Sect. 20.

Penalties.

One Moiety of the Forfeitures to the King, the other to the Prosecutor, by *Fieri fac'* or *Capias*.

If the Prosecution be at the King's Suit only, the whole to the King.

Not to be punish'd twice for the same Offence.

Note;

Forestallers and Ingrossers.

Note ; A *Forestaller* is one that shall buy or contract for any Merchandise, Viſual, or other thing whatſoever, in the Way, before it ſhall be brought by Land or by Water, unto any City, Port, Road, Fair, or Market, where it ſhall be ſold, or ſhall cauſe the ſame to be ſo bought, or ſhall diſſwade People from bringing any ſuch Commodity to any ſuch Place, or being brought, ſhall perſuade them to inhanche the Price thereof.

Stat. 5 & 6 Ed. 6. c. 14.

A *Regrator* is one that buys any Grain, Wine, Fiſh, Butter, Cheeſe, Candles, Tallow, Sheep, Lambs, Calves, Swine, Pigs, Geefe, Capons, Hens, Chickens, Pigeons, Conies, or other dead Viſual whatſoever, brought to a Fair or Market to be ſold there, and does ſell the ſame in the ſame Fair or Market, or in ſome other Fair or Market within four Miles. *Ibid.*

An *Ingroſſer* is he that gets into his Hands by buying, Contract or Promise (other than by Demiſe, Grant or Leaſe of Land or Tithes) any Corn growing in the Fields, or other Grain, Butter, Cheeſe, Fiſh, or other dead Viſual whatſoever, with Intent to ſell it again. *Ibid.*

Foreſtallers and Ingroſſers.

Offences.

Penalties.

Feuiterers. Vide Conſpiracies.

Fruit-Trees. Vide Orchards.

Fuel.

[Dm] **O**ffenders
against
the Statute for the
Aſſiſe of Fuel, if
they be not able to
ſatisfy the Forfeitures.

Stat. 7 Ed. 6. c. 7.
Seſt. 6. 43 Eliz. c.
14.

One Witneſs, or
otherwiſe.

Proſecution to be
within a Year.

Where *Billet* is ex-
poſ'd to Sale, and not
aſſiſed and marked,
or cut as is directed
by

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 15.
Seſt. 2. which ſee.

This

To be ſet upon the
Pillory in the next
Market-Day at 11 a
Clock, having a Bil-
let or Faggot bound
to ſome Part of his
Body.

The Juſtice, upon
Information, is to call
before him ſix good
lawful Men of the
Pariſh, &c. where
the ſaid Billet is ex-
poſed to Sale, and
ſwear

Offences.

Fuel.

Penalties.

This extends not to Owners or Proprietors of Trees, who make Billet for their own private Use only.

swear them to enquire into the Truth; and if they find the Billet not truly assised and marked, the said Justice shall deliver the same to the Overseer of the Poor, to be given to the Poor there.

Fullers Earth and Fullers Clay. Vide Brandy in Tit. Excise.

Furzes and Fern. Vide Tit. Heath.

Games not Lawful.

[Dnf] **T**O enter into any Common House or Place, where playing at Dice, Tables, Cards, Bowls, Coits, Cates, Logats, Shove-groat, Tennis, casting the Stone, Foot-Ball, or other unlawful Game is suspected to be used.

Stat. 33 H. 8. c. 9. Sect. 14.

The Keepers of Houses or Places where unlawful Games are used.

Stat.

To be taken and Imprisoned, till they find Sureties by Recognisance, no longer

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Games not Lawful.*Offences.**Penalties.*

Stat. 33 H. 8. c. 9
Sect. 14

Artificers, Husbandmen, Labourers, Apprentices at Husbandry, Journeymen, or Servants of Artificers, Mariners, Fishermen, or Servingmen, playing at any unlawful Game.

Stat. 33 H. 8. c. 9.
Sect. 16.

to keep such House or Place.

To be committed without Bail, till he be bound in such Sum as the Justice shall think reasonable, not to offend again.

And one Justice on View, or Oath of two Witnesses, may commit the Offender till he enter into a Recognisance, with Sureties or without, at the Justice's Discretion, that he or they shall not thenceforth play at or use such unlawful Games.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 28. Sect. 9.

[Two] To cause to come, or be brought before them such Persons whom they shall have just Cause to suspect to have no visible

To be bound to the Good Behaviour for 12 Months: And if they cannot find Sureties, to be committed to the Common

Games not Lawful.

Offences.

able Estate, Possession or Calling, to maintain themselves by; but do for the most part support themselves by Gaming; and if they appear to be such.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 14.
Sect. 6.

[Qu. Bess.] Keeping a House of unlawful Games.

Stat. 33 H. 8. c. 9.
Sect. 11.

Resorting to, or playing in an House of unlawful Games.

Stat. 33 H. 8. c. 2.
Sect. 12.

Penalties.

mon Gaol, till they find Sureties.

Note; If such Person so bound to the Good Behaviour, shall afterwards at any one Time play or bet for more than 20 Shillings, it is a Breach of his Good Behaviour, and the Recognisance becomes forfeited.

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Forty Shillings a Day.

Six Shillings and Eight-pence a Time.

Mayor,

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Forty

Games not Lawful.

Offences.

Penalties.

Mayor, Sheriffs,
Constables, and Head-
Officers, not search-
ing Places suspected
for unlawful Ga-
ming.

Forty Shillings.

Stat. 33 H. 8. c. 9.
Sect. 15.

Artificers, Appren-
tices, &c. *ut supra*,
using unlawful Games
out of *Christmas* time.

Twenty Shillings.

Stat. 33 H. 8. c. 9.
Sect. 16.

The Statute 33 H. 8. c. 9. against unlaw-
ful Games, to be proclaimed four Times a
Year in the Market, and every Quarter-
Sessions in open Sessions.

Game.

(Conies.)

[One] **P**ERSONS
entring
wrongfully into Ground
kept for breeding Co-
nies,

Treble Damages
and Costs, and three
Months Imprison-
ment, and till they
find

Offences.

Game.

Penalties.

nies, though not inclosed; and chasing, taking or killing any against the Owner's Will,

Stat. 22 & 23 Car.
2. c. 25. Sect. 4.

Confession or one Witness.

Prosecution to be in a Month.

Persons killing or taking, in the Night, Conies upon the Borders of Warrens, or on other Grounds, used for keeping Conies, except Owners. They who use Snares, Hair-pipes, and other Engines.

Stat. 22 & 23 Car.
Car. 2. c. 25. Sect. 5.

Conviction, *ut supra*.

find Sureties for their Good Behaviour.

Such Recompence in such Time as the Justice shall appoint, and pay such Sum to the Overseers of the Poor, as he shall think fit, not exceeding ten Shillings; and in Default to be committed to the House of Correction.

Offences. *Game.* *Penalties*

(Deer, Hare, Partridge and Pheasant.)

[One] Killers or
Takers of *Pheasants*,
or *Partridges* in the
Night.

Stat. 23 *Eliz. c. 10.*
Sect. 2.

Being convicted, he
is to take Bond (for
two Years only) with
good Sureties, not to
offend in the like
Kind.

To examine and
bind over all Offen-
ders against the said
Statute.

To grant a Warrant to search the Houses
of suspected Persons for *Hare*, *Partridge*, and
other Game.

Stat. 4 & 5 *W. & M. c. 23.* Sect. 3.

Persons where *Game*
is found, not giving
a good Account how
they came by it, or
not producing the
Party of whom they
bought it, in some
convenient Time, or
some credible Per-
son, to prove such
Sale upon Oath.

Stat. 4 & 5 *W. &*
M. c. 23. Sect. 3.

Not under 5 *s.* nor
exceeding 20 *s.* for
every *Hare*, *Partridge*
or other Game, to be
levied by Distress and
Sale; and in Default,
to be committed to
the House of Correc-
tion, not exceeding a
Month, nor less than
10 Days, to be whip'd,
and kept to hard La-
bour.

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Offences.

Game.

Penalties.

Higlers, Chapmen, Carriers, Inn-keepers, Victuallers, or Alehouse-keepers, having in his or their Custody or Possession any *Hare, Pheasant, Partridge, Moore, Heath Game or Grouse*; or shall buy, sell, or offer to sell any *Hare, &c.* except Carriers who carry for Persons qualified.

Stat. 5 *Ann. c. 14.*
Sect. 2.

View, or one Witness.

Conviction to be in three Months.

Persons offending against 5 *Ann. c. 14.* having Game in Custody, and bringing a *Certiorari* to remove the Conviction.

Stat. 5 *Ann. c. 14.*
Sect. 2.

Note ;

One Moiety of the Penalties to the Informer, the other to the Poor.

Five Pounds for every *Hare, &c.* to be levied by Distress and Sale.

One Moiety to the Informer, the other to the Poor.

For Want of Distress, to be committed to the House of Correction for three Months, without Bail or Mainprize, for the first Offence, and four Months for every other Offence.

To enter into a Recognisance for 50*l* with Sureties, conditioned to pay the Prosecutor full Costs, to be ascertained upon Oath within 14 Days after Convic-

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<p><i>Note</i> ; The Stat. 5 Ann. c. 14. is made perpetual by 9 Ann. c. 25.</p>	<p>tion or <i>Procedendo</i> granted.</p>
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In Default, Justices may proceed to execute such Conviction.

If any *Hare, &c.* shall be found in the Shop, House or Possession of any Person not qualified in his own Right to kill Game, or intitled thereto under some Person qualified; the same shall be adjudged Exposing the same to Sale.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 25. Sect. 2.

Persons taking, killing, or destroying *Hare, &c.* in the Night-time.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 25. Sect. 3.

Incur the same Forfeitures, Pains and Penalties; and to be recover'd, as by Stat.

5 Ann. c. 14.

Soldiers killing *Hares, &c.* or other Game, *Vide* Abstract of the Mutiny and Desertion Bill, at the End of this Book.

[Two] Killers or Takers of any *Pheasant, Partridge, Pigeon, Duck, Heron, Hare, or other*

To be committed without Bail, unless they pay to the Poor where the Offence was

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Game.

Penalties.

other Game; and
Takers or Destroyers
of Eggs of Pheasants,
Partridges, or Swans.

Stat. 1 *Fac.* 1. 27.
Sect. 2.

Confession or two
Witnesses.

Sellers, or Buyers
to sell again of *Deer*,
Hare, *Pheasant*, or
Partridge, (except
reared up or brought
from beyond Sea).

Stat. 1 *Fac.* 1. c.
27. Sect. 4.

was committed, or
they apprehended,
20 s. for every Fowl,
Hare or Egg.

After they have
been committed a
Month, to be bound
with two sufficient
Sureties in 20 Pounds
a-piece, not to offend
again.

Deer 40 s. *Hare* 10 s.
Pheasant 20 s. *Par-*
tridge 10 s. Between
the Poor and the
Prosecutor.

Extends not to one
licensed in open Ses-
sions to kill Hawks-
Meat; but then he
must be bound in a
Recognisance of 20 l.
not to kill any of the
same Game, nor to
shoot within 200
Yards of an Heron-
ry, within 100 Paces
of a Pigeon-house,
or in a Park, Forest,

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Game.

Penalties.

or Chase, whereof his Master is not Owner.

Hawkers at, or Destroyers of *Pheasants* or *Partridges*, between the first of *July* and the last of *August*.

Stat. 7 *Jac.* 1. c. 11. Sect. 2.

Confession, or two Witnesses.

Prosecution in six Months.

[Qu. Sell.] Taking *Pheasants*, or *Partridges* with Engines, in another's Ground, without License.

Stat. 11 *H.* 7. c. 17. Sect. 2.

Killing or taking any *Pheasants* or *Partridges* with any Net or Engine, in the Night-time.

Stat.

One Month's Imprisonment, without Bail, unless he pays to the Poor of the Parish where the Offence was committed, 40 s. for every Time he hawked, and 20 s. for every *Pheasant*, or *Partridge*, destroyed or taken.

Ten Pounds to be divided between the Owner of the Ground and the Prosecutor.

20 s. for every *Pheasant*, and 10 s. for every *Partridge*. If not paid in ten Days, a Month's Impri-

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<p>Stat. 23 Eliz. c. 10. Sect. 2.</p>	<p>Imprisonment without Bail.</p> <p>The Money to be divided between the Lord and the Prosecutor; but if the Lord, &c. shall dispense with it, then his Moiety to the Poor.</p>	
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(Deer-Hays, or Buck-Stalls.)

<p>[Two] Keepers of Deer-Hays or Buck-Stalls, save in his own Forest or Park.</p> <p>Stat. 19 H. 7. c. 11. Sect. 3.</p>	<p>40s. a Month; the Offender to be examined and committed till Payment.</p> <p>Justices to have the 10th Part.</p>	
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<p>Stalkers with any Bush or Beast to any Deer, except in his own Forest or Park.</p> <p>Stat. 19 H. 7. c. 11. Sect. 4.</p>	<p>Ten Pounds, proceedings against him, <i>ut supra</i>.</p>	
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(Eggs of Falcon, Goshawk, Lanner or Swan.)

<p>[Qu. Sess.] Taking out of the Nest any Eggs</p>	<p>A Year and Day's Imprisonment; a Fine one</p>	
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Eggs of *Faulcon*, *Goshawk*, *Lanner*, or *Swan*.

Stat. 11 H. 7. c. 17.
Sect. 4.

one Moiety to the King, the other to the Owner of the Ground. But where they are Swans Eggs, to the Owner of the Swans.

Vide Tit. DEER supra.

Game-keeper.

[One] *Game-keepers*, selling or disposing of Game without the Consent or Knowledge of the Lord.

Stat. 5 Ann. c. 14.
Sect. 4.
One Witness.

To be committed to the House of Correction for 3 Months, to be kept to hard Labour.

No Lord or Lady of a Manor to make above one Person to be a *Game keeper* within any one Manor, whose Name must be entred with the Clerk of the Peace, who is to grant a Certificate thereof. And *Game-keepers*, whose Names

Incur like Forfeitures, Pains and Penalties, as are inflicted on Higlers, &c. for buying or selling of Game, by 5 Ann. c. 14.

Forfeitures to be recover'd by such Means as are prescribed in the said Act 5 Ann.

*Offences.***Game.***Penalties.*

Names are not so entered, and not otherwise qualified, who shall kill any Hare, &c. or who shall sell or expose to Sale any Hare, &c.

Stat. 9 *Ann.* c. 25.
Sect. 1.

Game-keepers not qualified, or not Servants to Lords of Manors, or immediately employed by them to take and kill Game for their sole Use or Benefit, killing Hare, Pheasant, &c. or keeping Greyhounds, &c.

Sat. 3 *Geo.* 1. c. 11. Sect. 1.

Incur the Penalties in the Acts 5 & 9 *Ann.*

Note; The Acts 5 & 9 *Ann.* and all other Laws now in Force for the better Preservation of the Game, are continued and enforced by 3 *Geo.* 1. c. 11. Sect. 2.

Offences. Game. Penalties.

(Greyhounds, Bows, Setting-Dogs, Ferrets and Snares.)

[One] Persons, not qualified by Law, keeping or using any Bows, Greyhounds, Setting-Dogs, Ferrets, Coney-Dogs, Hays, Lurchers, Tunnels, Low-bells, Hare-pipes, Snares, or other Instruments for destroying of Game.

Stat. 4 & 5 W. & M. c. 23. Sect. 3.

Confession, or one Witness.

Subject to the same Pains and Penalties as Offenders are liable to, on whom Game shall be found, and who do not give a good Account how they came by it; which *vide supra*, in Title Deer, &c. under Title Game.

To be levied and employed in the same Manner.

Before the Allowance of a *Certiorari*, to remove any Conviction upon the Stat. 4 & 5 W. & M. c. 23 The Party is to become bound to the Prosecutor in 50*l.* with *Sureties*, to be approved by a Justice, to pay Costs, upon Oath, in a Month after Conviction is confirmed.

Stat. 4 & 5 W. & M. c. 23. Sect. 7.

Persons not qualified, keeping, or using any Greyhounds, Setting-Dogs, Hays, Lurchers, Tunnels, or any other Engine, to kill

Five Pounds, to be levied by Distress and Sale; and for Want, to be committed to the House of Correction for 3 Months, for the

Offences.

Game.

Penalties.

kill and destroy the Game.

Stat. 5 *Ann.* c. 14.

Se^ct. 4.

One Witness.

[Two] Keepers of Greyhound, Dog, or Net, to kill or take *Deer*, *Hare*, *Pheasant*, or *Partridge*, by any who have not an Inheritance of 10 Pounds *per Ann.* or Lease for Life of 30 Pounds *per Ann.* or be worth 200 Pounds in Goods, or be Son of a Baron, or Knight, or Heir apparent of an Esquire.

Stat. 1 *Fac.* 1. c. 27. Se^ct. 3.

Confession, or two Witnesses.

Persons of mean Condition, killing or taking any *Pheasant* or *Partridge*, with Dogs, Nets, or Engine.

Stat.

the first Offence, and four Months for every other Offence.

To be committed without Bail, unless, they pay 40*s.* to the Poor, where the Offence was committed.

To be committed without Bail, unless he pays 20*s.* for every *Pheasant* and *Partridge*, so killed, or taken,

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<p>Stat. 7 Jac. 1. c. 11. Sect. 8. Confession, or one Witness.</p>	<p>taken ; and also be bound in a Recogni- sance of 20 l. never to offend again.</p>
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<p>To grant a War- rant for any Consta- ble, or Headborough, to search the Houses of Persons suspected to have any Setting- Dogs or Nets.</p>	<p>The Dogs to be kil- led, and the Nets cut in Pieces.</p>
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Stat. 21 Jac. 1. c.
 11. Sect. 9.

(Buns.)

[One] To grant his Warrant to *Game-keep-ers*, and others, to search the Houses of Persons prohibited to keep Guns, &c. for such Guns, &c. and to seise them for the Use of the Lord of the Manor, or destroy them.

Stat. 22 & 23 Car. 2. c. 25. Sect. 2.

(Hawks.)

<p>[Qu. Sess.] Bearing any <i>Hawk</i> of <i>English</i> Breed, called a Ny- esse, Goshawk, Taf- sel, Linner, Lanne- ret, or Faulcon.</p>	<p>Forfeited to the King, and to be at his Disposal.</p>
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Stat. 11 H. 7. c. 17.
Sect. 4.

Killing or scaring
away any of the said
Hawks from the Co-
verts where they u-
sed to breed.

Stat. 11 H. 7. c. 17.
Sect. 9, 10.

Unlawfully taking
any *Hawk*, or Hawk's
Eggs.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 21.
Sect. 7.

Ten Pounds to be
divided between the
King and Prosecutor.

Three Months Im-
prisonment ; to be
bound to the Good
Behaviour for seven
Years.

Treble Damages to
the Party griev'd.

Upon the Offen-
der's Acknowledg-
ment in Sessions, and
Satisfaction to the
Party, the Behavi-
our may be released.

(Watching and Hunting.)

[One] Hunters in
Forests, Parks, or
Warrens, in the
Night-time, or dis-
guised.

Stat.

To be examined,
and bound over, or
committed.

Rescous of the
Execution of the
Justice's

<i>Offences.</i>	<i>Game.</i>	<i>Penalties.</i>
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Stat. 1 H. 7. c. 7.
Sect. 3.

Inferior Tradesmen, Apprentices, and other dissolute Persons, hunting or hawking, unless in Company with the Master of such Apprentice qualified by Law.

Stat. 4 & 5 W. & M. c. 23. Sect. 10.

[Qu. & ff.] Hunters in Forests, Parks, or Warrens, in the Night-time, or disguised.

Stat. 1 H. 7. c. 7.
Sect. 5, 6.

Hawking or Hunting with Spaniels in standing Corn, except on his own Ground, or with the Owner's Consent.

Stat. 23 Eliz. c. 10.
Sect. 4.

Justice's Warrant, Felony.

Subject to the same Penalties as Persons are where Game is found, and to be levied and employ'd in the same Manner.

If the Fact be concealed, Felony.

If confessed, fineable.

Forty Shillings to the Owner of the Ground.

Offences.

Game.

Penalties.

(Heron.)

[Two] Takers of any
old *Heron*, without
their Grounds.

A young *Heron*.
Stat. 19 *H. 7. c. 11.*
Sect. 6.

Six Shillings and
Eight-pence.

Ten Shillings.
The Offender to be
examined and com-
mitted till Payment

Pigeon. Vide Tit. Deer, &c. supra.

*Wild Duck, Teal, Widgeon, and Wa-
ter-fowl.*

[One] Persons, be-
tween *July 1* and
Sept. 1. as they shall
yearly happen, by
Hays, Tunnels, or
other Nets, driving
and taking any *Wild
Duck, Teal, Widgeon*,
or any other *Water-
Fowl* in any *Fens*,
&c. or other *Places*
of Resort for *Wild
Fowl*, in the *Molting
Season*.

Stat. 9 *Ann. c. 25.*
Sect. 4.

5 s. for every *Wild
Duck, Teal*, or other
Water-Fowl.

One Moiety to the
Informer, the other
to the Poor. To be
levied by Distress and
Sale, rendring the
Overplus, if any be
above the Penalty
and Charge of Di-
stress. For Want of
Distress, to be com-
mitted to the House
of Correction for any
Time not exceeding
one

One

Offences.

Game.

Penalties.

One Witness on Oath.

one Month, nor less than 14 Days, there to be kept to hard Labour.

The Justice to order the Hays, Nets, or Tunnels to be seized and destroyed in his Presence.

[Qu. Sess.] Destroying or taking away any Wild Fowl.

Stat. 25 H. 8. c. 11. Sect. 5.

Forfeits for every Egg of a Crane or Bustard, 20 Pence; of a Bittern, Heron, or Shovelard, Eightpence; of a Mallard, Teal, or other Wild Fowl, one Penny.

To be divided between the King and Prosecutor.

Gaol.

[One] CAN commit Murderers and Felons to no other Prison but to the Common Gaol.

Stat. 5 H. 4. c. 10 & 11 & 12 W. 3. c. 19. Sect. 3.

Offences.

Gaol.

Penalties.

[One or Qu. Sect.] To settle what Persons under Arrest shall pay for each Night's Lodging, and other Expenses.

Stat. 22 & 23 Car. 2. c. 20. Sect. 9.

[One] An Offender, who is to be conveyed to Gaol, if he does not bear all the Charges.

Stat. 3 Jac. 1. c. 10. Sect. 2.

His Goods (if he has any) are, by Warrant, to be sold by the Constable, the Appraisement thereof to be made by the Neighbours, and the Overplus returned. If he has no Goods, the Constables, Churchwardens, and two or three honest Inhabitants, may, with the Allowance of a Justice under his Hand, tax every Inhabitant, to be levied by Distress and Sale.

Persons not paying Monies charged for Repair of Gaols.

Stat. 11 & 12 W. 3. c. 19. Sect. 2.

Conti-

To be distrained; and if not paid in four Days, the Distress to be sold.

Offences.

Gaol.

Penalties.

Continued for seven Years by 10 Ann. c. 14.

Act 10 Ann. c. 14. made perpetual as to so much of the said Act as relates to the Building and repairing County-Gaols, by Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 19. Sect. 1.

May commit Vagrants, and other Criminals, Offenders, and Persons charged with small Offences, or for Want of Sureties, to the Common Gaol, or House of Correction, as he in his Judgment shall think fit.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 19. Sect. 2.

[They] May consent, That Keepers of Gaols, upon emergent Occasions, may provide other Places for the Removal of Sick, or other Persons, out of the usual Gaols, but not against the good Will of the Owner.

Stat. 19 Car. 2. c. 4. Sect. 2.

Quor' 1.

To settle Gaolers Fees for Commitment, Discharge and Chamber-Rent, within their several Precincts, except London, Middlesex, and Surry, which are to be settled by the two Chief Justices, and Chief Baron,

or

<i>Offences.</i>	Gaol.	<i>Penalties.</i>
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or two of them, and the Justices of Peace, in their several Jurisdictions.

Stat. 22 & 23 Car. 2. c. 20. Sect. 10.

Note, That the several Rates of Fees, and the Rates for the Government of Prisons, are to be signed by the Chief Justices, and Chief Baron, or two of them, and the Justices of Peace of *London, Middlesex, and Surry*; and by the Judges for the Circuits, and the Justices in their Precincts, in the other Counties; to be registred by the Clerk of the Peace, and hung up in a Table in each Prison.

See now the Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 22. Sect. 4 and 7.

[*Qu. Sess.*] Upon Presentment of the Grand Jury, at the Assises or Great Sessions, of the Insufficiency of the Prisons or Gaols, may upon Examination of Workmen agree on a Sum for Building or Repairing thereof, and equally levy the same on the several Divisions of the County, by Warrant issued at the Quarter-Sessions to the High Constable, &c. and may make a Receiver.

Stat. 11 & 12 W. 3. c. 19. Sect. 1, 2.

Continued for seven Years, by 13 Ann. c. 14. made perpetual by 6 Geo. 1. c. 19.

Vide Tit. House of Correction.

Gilding and Goldsmiths.

Offences.

Penalties.

R. Sel. GILDING Sheaths, or any Metal, but Silver, and the Ornaments of Holy Church; and silvering any Metal but Knights Spurs, and the Apparel belonging to a Baron, or above.

Stat. 8 H. 5. c. 3.
Sect. 4.

Ten times the Value of the Thing so gilt, and a Year's Imprisonment.

One third Part of the Forfeiture to the Prosecutor.

To hear and determine all Offences about Goldsmiths selling Silver contrary to
Stat. 2 H. 6. c. 14. Sect. 8.

Birdlers. Vide Shoemakers.

Globers. Vide Tanners.

Greyhounds. Vide Tit. Game.

Gunpowder.

Offences. **Gunpowder.** *Penalties.*

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mon and examine
Dealers in Gunpow-
der, upon their Oath,
if 600 Pounds is kept
in any Place within
London and *Westmin-*
ster, or three Miles of
the Tower, or St.
James's, or two
Miles of any of the
Magazines of the
Crown.

Stat. 5 Geo. I. c. 26.
Sect. 2.

If on Examinati-
on, or Oath of two
Witnesses, it shall
appear he has more
than 600 Pounds, *ut*
supra.

Stat. 5 Geo. I. c. 26.
Sect. 2.

And commit such
as refuse to be exa-
mined, to the Coun-
ty-Gaol without Bail,
till he conform, &c.

May by Order
cause him to remove
it; and if he does not
within 24 Hours af-
ter Notice of such
Order, he forfeits
20 Shillings for eve-
ry 100 Pounds, to
any that sues within
6 Months.

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Opposers

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May by Warrant order Storehouses, or Places used for keeping Gunpowder, to be searched in the Day-time, and to break open Doors, if Occasion.

Opposers hereof forfeit 5 Pounds to any that sues in six Months. And if more than 600 Pounds be found, to cause it to be removed at the Owner's Charge, to be levied by Distress.

Stat. 5 Geo. 1. c. 26. Sect. 3.

None to carry through *London, Westminster*, or Suburbs, above two hundred Pounds of Gunpowder at a time, and to be carried in Carriages and Barrels close jointed, and hooped and cased with Canvas or Leather. And Gunpowder carried by Man or Horse, to be put in Cases of Canvas or Leather, entirely covered.

Stat. 5 Geo. 1. c. 26. Sect. 4.

On Forfeiture of all the Gunpowder, on Conviction before two Justices.

To the Person seizing the same.

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Note ; This Act does not extend to any Store-house or Magazine, belonging to the King, or to the proving Gunpowder by his Majesty's Officers ; or to the carrying of Gunpowder to or from his Majesty's Magazines, or with Forces in their Marches.

Stat. 5 Geo. 1. c. 26. Sect. 5.

None to keep in London, *Westminster*, or within three Miles of the Tower, or two Miles of any Crown Magazine, above two hundred Pounds of Gunpowder at one time in any Place for above twenty-four Hours.

Stat. 11 Geo. 1. c. 23. Sect. 1.

[One] Persons using any Iron Hammer, or Hammer plated with Iron or Steel, in any Warehouse or Place, while any Gunpowder is there, if Convicted within one Month after, on Oath

On Forfeiture of all the Gunpowder, or the Value, with Costs of Suit, &c.
Ibid.

Twenty Shillings to the Informer, by Distress, &c. and if none, to the House of Correction, for not less than 14 Days, nor above a Month.

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Oath of one Witness.

Stat. 11 Geo. 1. c.
23. Sect. 3.

[Two] On demand of a Parish-Officer (or two Householders assigning reasonable Cause) to issue Warrants *gratis* for a Search, &c. The Searchers are immediately to seize, and in 12 Hours remove the Powder, except the Quantity allowed to be kept.

Ibid. Sect. 2.

Obstructing the Seizure or Amoval 5*l.* to the Informer, &c. *ut supra.*

Note ; This Act does not extend to any Storehouse or Magazine of the Crown where Gunpowder, &c. is kept for the Use of the Publick ; nor to hinder the proving or trying Gunpowder by the King's Officers as usual ; nor to the carrying Gunpowder to or from any the King's Magazines, or with the Forces in their Marches. *Ibid.* Sect. 4.

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Nor does it invalidate any of the Provisions of 5 Geo. 1. c. 26. (except such as are hereby alter'd). *Ibid* Sect. 5.

[Qu. Sess.] The Sessions for *Essex, Kent,* and *Surry*, to appoint Places not exceeding two Acres in a Place, for erecting Warehouses for *Gunpowder*; and if the Land-Owners disagree, send Warrants to the Sheriff to return a Jury to enquire the Value: Such Inquisitions to be kept among the Sessions-Records, and their Judgment final: To which End they may examine on Oath, and order the Sum not exceeding 30 Years Purchase to be paid the Owner; which if he refuses, they may receive for his Use, and thereon the Inheritance to be vested in the Purchaser.

Stat. 5 Geo. 1. c. 26. Sect. 8.

Hackney Coaches and Chairs.

<p>[One] No Person shall drive or let to hire by the Hour or Day, or otherwise, any Hackney-Coach, or Coach-Horses, within <i>London</i> or <i>Westminster</i>, or <i>Bills of Mortality</i>,</p>	<p>On Forfeiture of five Pounds, for every Offence. To be levied by Distress, and sold in 10 Days, and the Overplus returned to the Owner. The Charges of</p>
<p>L 4</p>	<p>the</p>

Hackney Coaches and Chairs.

Offences.

Mortality, without Leave or Licence from the Commissioners appointed by Virtue of the Stat. 9 Ann. c. 23.

Ibid. Sect. 4.

No Person shall carry for Hire, in any Hackney-Chair any Person whatsoever in the Cities of London, &c. without a Licence from the Commissioners.

Ibid. Sect. 4.

No Horse, Gelding or Mare to be used with any Hackney-Coach, to be under the Size of 14 Hands high, according to the Standard.

Ibid. Sect. 4.

No Person shall put the same Figure or Mark of Distinc-

tion

Penalties.

the Distress to be first deducted, if not paid upon seven Days Notice.

In Default, to be committed till Payment, without Bail.

Sect. 12 & 17.

Upon Pain to forfeit 40 Shillings for every Offence.

To be levied, *ut supra*, and in Default to be committed, *ut supra*.

Five Pounds to be levied, *ut supra*, and in Default, to be committed, *ut supra*.

Under the Forfeiture of five Pounds for every Offence.

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Offences.

tion upon his Coach or Chair, that is appointed for any other Coach or Chair, or shall blot out, obliterate, alter, or deface the Figure appointed by the Commissioners for his Coach or Chair.

Ibid. Sect. 4.

Penalties.

To be levied, *ut supra*, and in Default, to be committed, *ut supra*.

One Moiety of the above Penalties to be to the Informer, the other to the Queen, her Heirs and Successors.

Sect. 12 & 17.

No Hackney-Coachman, nor Driver shall take for his Hire, in and about *London* and *Westminster*, or within 10 Miles thereof, above the Rate of 10 Shillings for a Day, reckoning 12 Hours to the Day; and by the Hour, not above Eighteen-pence for the first Hour, and Twelve-pence for every Hour after.

From any of the *Inns of Court*, or thereabouts, to any Part of *St. James's* or *City of Westminster* (except beyond *Turtle-Street*) above Twelve-pence; and the same Prices from the same Places to the *Inns of Court*, or Places thereabouts.

From any of the *Inns of Court*, or thereabouts, to the *Royal Exchange*, Twelve-

Hackney Coaches and Chairs.

Offences.

Penalties.

pence; and if to the *Tower, Bishopgate, or Aldgate*, or thereabouts, one Shilling and Six pence, and the like Rates from and to any Place of the like Distance.

Ibid. Sect. 6.

No Person to pay above Twelve-pence for any Distance, not exceeding one Mile and four Furlongs; and if above that Distance, and not exceeding two Miles, Eighteen-pence. The Commissioners to cause the several Distances between the most noted Places within the *Weekly Bills of Mortality* to be admeasured and published.

Ibid. Sect. 7.

No Person to pay Chairmen for an Hackney-Chair, carried any Distance within the said Limits, more than the Rate by this Act allowed for an Hackney-Coach, driven two Thirds of the same Distance; and Commissioners to publish in Writing the several Rates of Chairmen.

Stat. 9 *Ann.* c. 23. Sect. 8.

Hackney Coachman or Chairman refusing to go at, or exacting more for his Hire than the Rates limited

Forfeits for every Offence forty Shillings.

To be levied, *ut supra*, and in Default,

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Offences.

limited by the Stat. 9 *Ann. c. 23.*
Ibid. Sect. 8.

Penalties.

fault, to be committed, *ut supra.*

All the Offences against the Stat. 9 *Ann. c. 23.* are to be heard and determined in a summary Way upon the Oath of one or more credible Witnesses (the Party accused being summoned to make his Defence) or upon Confession of the Party offending.

One Moiety of all the Forfeitures and Penalties to the Queen, her Heirs, &c. the other to the Informer.

Ibid. Sect. 13.

The Breach of any of the Rules and Orders appointed by the Stat. 5 & 6 *W. & M. c. 22.* and 9 *Ann. c. 23.* and the Penalties thereupon; and the Rules, Orders, and By-Laws made by the Commissioners, and allowed and approved by the Lord Chancellor, &c. are punishable, and to be inflicted and put in Execution by any Justice, &c. where such Offence shall be committed in as full and ample Manner as by the Commissioners.

Ibid. Sect. 17.

No Person to be twice punished for the same Offence.

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The Penalties levied by any Justice of the Peace, &c. by Virtue of the Stat. 9 Ann. c. 23. or By-Laws. The Queen's Part to be transmitted to the Receiver General of the Hackney Coaches and Chairs, and to be certified to the Commissioners within ten Days after levied.

Ibid. Sect. 18.

Hackney-Coachman, Driver, or Chairman, may Ply and Drive on the *Lord's Day*, within the *Weekly Bills of Mortality*, notwithstanding the Act 29 Car. 2.

Ibid. Sect. 20.

Persons refusing or neglecting to pay Coachman or Chairman the Money justly due to him, or wilfully cutting, defacing, or breaking any Coach or Chair,

upon

Penalties.

Upon Pain to forfeit double the Value of the Sum which should be transmitted and certified.

Two Thirds to the Queen, the other to him that will inform or sue for the same.

To grant a Warrant to bring the Offender before him; and upon Proof on Oath, to award reasonable Satisfaction for Damages and Costs; and on Refusal

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Offences.

upon Complaint thereof.

Ibid. Sect. 22.

Persons *driving* a Coach, or *carrying* a Chair for Hire, *not being interested himself in the Licence so to do*, but acting under the Licence of another, as his or her Servant, or otherwise, being guilty of any Misbehaviour in his Employment, by demanding more than his Fare, or by giving abusive Language, or any other rude Behaviour.

Ibid. Sect. 56.

If convicted by the Oath of one or more credible Witnesses before one Justice of London, Middlesex, or Surry.

Hackney-

Penalties.

refusal to pay or make Satisfaction, to bind over to the Quarter-Sessions.

Forfeits a Sum not exceeding 20 s. to the Poor; if not able, or refuse to pay, to be committed to the *House of Correction*, to be kept to hard Labour for 7 Days, and receive the Correction of the House before he be discharged.

Forfeit

Hackney Coaches and Chairs.

Offences.

Hackney - Coachman or Driver, refusing to go at, or exacting more for his Hire than according to the 9 *Ann. c. 23.* or By-Laws made pursuant thereto.

Stat. 1 *Geo. 1. c.*
57. Sect. 2 & 7.

Penalties.

Forfeit not exceeding three Pounds, nor under 10s.

Offences to be determined and Penalties and Forfeitures to be recovered, levied, and applied, as the 40s. Penalty may by 9 *Ann. c. 23.*

Justices have the same Power to inflict Penalties, as the Commissioners.

[*Qu. Sect.*] Finally to hear and determine the Matter of Complaint between Persons refusing to pay Coachmen or Chairmen, what is justly due, and cutting defacing or breaking Coach or Chair, where the Party is bound over by a Justice, for not paying or making such

The Court is to award Satisfaction for Damages and Costs to the Party grieved; and for Non-payment, to levy the same by Distress.

Hackney Coaches and Chairs.

Offences.

Penalties.

such Satisfaction as is
awarded.

Ibid. Sect. 22.

Harvest Workmen.

[Two] **T**O convey back Harvest or other Workmen who are licensed, and do not return when their Work is finished, or shall become impotent.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 12. Sect. 3.

Hawkers and Pedlars.

[One] **H**awkers,
Pedlars
and Petty Chapmen,
trading without or
contrary to Licence.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.
c. 24. Sect. 3.

— 9 & 10 W. 3.
c. 27. Sect. 3.

Confession, or due
Proof upon Oath, of
one or more Wit-
nesses.

For every Offence
12 Pounds. One Moie-
ty to the Informer,
the other to the Poor,
to be levied by Dis-
tress and Sale.

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Offen. Hawkers & Pedlars. Penal.

Persons so trading, and upon Demand refusing to shew to a Justice, &c. a Licence.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.

c. 24. Sect. 3.

— 9 & 10 W. 3.

c. 27. Sect. 3.

Conviction, *ut supra*.

Constables, or other Officers, refusing, or neglecting upon due Notice, to aid or assist in the Execution of

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.

c. 24. Sect. 7.

— 9 & 10 W. 3.

c. 27. Sect. 7.

Five Pounds to the Use of the Poor, and for Non-payment, shall suffer as a common Vagrant, and be committed to the House of Correction.

40 s. One Moiety to the Poor, the other to the Informer, to be levied by Distress and Sale.

Note; Any Person may seize and detain any Hawker, &c. till such Time as he or she shall produce a Licence, if they have any; if not, till they give Notice to the Constable or some other Parish-Officer, who shall carry such Offender before a Justice, who is by Warrant to levy the Penalty out of

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of the Offender's Goods and Wares, with reasonable Charges.

Ibid. Sect. 8.

Persons trading as Hawkers, &c. who shall not, upon Demand, have their Licence ready to be produced.

Stat. 3 & 4 Ann. c. 4. Sect. 4.

Forfeits as one trading without Licence, and may be committed, and the Forfeitures levied and employed, *ut supra*.

Makers and Wholesale Traders in *English* Bone-lace, and selling the same by Wholesale, are not *Hawkers*, &c. within the Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 24. and 9 & 10 W. 3. c. 27. And they, their Children, Apprentices, Servants, or Agents (selling by Wholesale only) may go from House to House, or Shops, to their Customers, without being liable to the Penalties against *Hawkers*.

Stat. 4 Geo. 1. c. 6. Sect. 1.

Hawkers and Hawking. Vide Tit. Game.

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<p>[One] Persons offering any old <i>Hay</i> to be sold within the <i>Weekly Bills of Mortality</i>, between the last of <i>August</i> and first of <i>June</i>, which does not weigh 56 Pounds a Truss at least; and between the first of <i>June</i> and the last of <i>August</i> weighs not 60 Pounds a Truss new, and old 56.</p>	<p>One Shilling and Six-pence for every Truss, to be levied and employed, as the Penalties for sweeping the Streets; which see in Title Scavenger.</p>
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Stat. 2 *W. & M.*
 Sess. 2. c. 8. Sect. 16.
 View, Confession,
 or one Witness.

Hay and Oats.

<p>[One] TAKING more for Hay, Oats, &c. in the King's Progress than the Prices set.</p>	<p>Forty Shillings, to be levied by Distress and Sale.</p>
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Ofences. Hay and Oats. Penalties.

Stat. 13 Car. 2. c.

S. Sect. 5.

— 1 Jac. 2. c. 10.

Sect. 5.

— 5 & 6 W. &

M. c. 22.

Confession or Oath
of two Witnesses.

Hay and Straw.

[One] **P**ersons suffering their Waggon, Cart, &c. to stand in any Place within the Weekly Bills of Mortality, laden with Hay or Straw to be sold, from Michaelmas to Lady-Day, after 2 a Clock in the Afternoon; and from Lady-Day to Michaelmas after 3.

Stat. 2 W. & M. c.

S. Sect. 17.

View, Confession
or one Witness.

Five Shillings, to be levied and employed, as the Penalties for not sweeping the Streets; which see in Tit.

Scavenger.

Offences. Hay Market. Penalties.

[Dnf] **P**Ersons refusing to pay 3 Pence a Cart-Load of *Hay*, and one Penny a Cart-Load of *Straw*, that shall stand to be sold in the *Hay-Market*, in the Parish of *St. Martin's* and *St. James's*, in Ease of the Parishioners of the said Parishes, for and towards the paving and amending the Street.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.
c. 17. Sect. 3.

One Justice of the *Quorum* of *Middlesex*, or *Westminster*, may take the Complaint against such as stand longer in the said *Hay-Market* than they ought, whereby they forfeit.

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The same to be levied by Warrant, under the Hand and Seal of one Justice of *Middlesex* or *Westminster*, by Distress, to be sold, if not paid in three Days.

Five Shillings, to be levied, as by 2 W. & M. c. 8.

Offences. **Hay-Market.** Penalties.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. |
c. 17. Sect. 3.

[Qu. Sect.] The Collectors of the Toll gathered in the *Hay-Market* are yearly, at every *Easter-Sessions*, to give to the Justices of the Peace of the County of *Middlesex* and City of *Westminster*, a particular Account upon Oath, of their Receipts and Disbursements, and the Overplus is to go to the County of *Middlesex*.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 17. Sect. 7.

Heath, Furze, and Fern.

[One] **P**ersons on Moun-
tains, Hills, Heaths,
Moors, Forests, Cha-
ses, or other Wastes,
burning between 2
Feb. and 24 June, any
Grig, Ling, Heath,
Furze, Gorts or Fern.

Stat. 4 & 5 W. &
M. c. 23. Sect. 11.

To be committed
to the House of Cor-
rection, not exceed-
ing one Month, nor
under 10 Days, to be
whip'd, and kept to
hard Labour.

Hedges and Dales. *Vide Orchard.*

Offences. **Hemp and Flax. Penalties.**

[Q. Sel.] **W**A - Five Pounds for
 ter- every Offence.
 ing *Hemp*, or *Flax* in One Moiety to the
 the River *Severn*. Poor, the other to the
 Stat. 30 Car. 2. c. 9. Prosecutor.
 Sect. 1.

Note; Foreigners who shall use for 3 Years
 the Trades of breaking, hitching, or dres-
 sing *Hemp* or *Flax*, are to take the Oaths of
 Allegiance and Supremacy.

Herrings. Vide Salt.

Hides.

[One] **T**O administer an Oath to all sub-
 ordinate Officers for the Duty
 on *Hides*, &c. who shall receive any Salary
 or Allowance, in Respect of his Office,
 before he Acts, for his due and faithful Ex-
 ecution of his Office. And to give a Certi-
 ficate *Gratis*.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 11. Sect. 45. *Vide* Titles
Butcher and Tanner.

Highway

Offences. Highwayman. Penalties.

[Two] IF any Person endeavouring to apprehend a *Highwayman*, be killed, his Executors, or Administrators, upon a Certificate under the Hand and Seal of the two next Justices, shall receive the Sum of forty Pounds.

Stat. 4 & 5 W. & M. c. 8. Sect. 3.

The Sheriff, in Failure of Payment, forfeits double the Sum.

To be recover'd by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint, or Information, &c. with treble Costs.

Highways. See Westminster.

THE Streets of *London* and *Westminster*, and other Cities, Towns and Places, are deemed and taken to be Highways within the Intent and Meaning of the Stat. 4 & 5 W. & M. c. 8.

Stat. 6 Geo. I. c. 23. Sect. 8.

(Constables and Surbepors.)

[One] Constables and Surbepors of the *Highways*,

To be fined, not exceeding 40s. To be levied by Warrant,

Offences. Highways. Penalties.

(Constables and Surveyors.)

ways, neglecting to put in Execution the Statutes made for repairing the *Highways*.

Stat. 22 Car. 2. c. 12. Sect. 1.

View, or one Witness.

rant, directed to the High Constable, and to be employed in amending the *Highways*.

The Penalty is increased to 5 Pounds, by 6 Ann. c. 29. Sect. 3.

Resisting any employed in the executing the Acts for repairing the *Highways*, or rescuing Goods distrained by Virtue of them.

Stat. 22 Car. 2. c. 12. Sect. 3.

View, or one Witness.

Forty Shillings, to be employed, *ut supra*, and if not paid in seven Days after Notice, to be committed till Payment.

To take the Returns, which the Surveyors of the *Highways* are to make, of Defaulters, within a Month after every Default, and to present the same at the next Quarter-Sessions.

Stat. 22 Car. 2. c. 12. Sect. 12.

Surveyors

Offences. Highways. Penalties.

(Constables and Surveyors.

Surveyors of the Highways not viewing the Roads, Water-Courses, Bridges, Causeways, &c. and not returning, upon Oath, once in four Months to a Justice.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 8.

Prosecution in six Months.

Where Notice of Defaults is given in the Church by the Surveyors of the Highways, and the Defaulters do not repair and amend in 30 Days, and the Surveyors do.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 8.

Upon Oath of the Surveyors.

Prosecution, *ut supra*.

The same Penalty as for refusing to execute the Office.

Defaulters to pay to the Surveyors, such Charges as one Justice shall think reasonable, to be levied by Distress and Sale.

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Offences. Highways. Penalties.

(Constables and Surberors.)

Surveyors of the *Highways* neglecting to erect or fix a Stone or Post, where two or more cross *Highways* meet, with an Inscription thereon in large Letters, containing the Name of the next Market-Town, to which each of the adjoining *Highways* lead, according to the Precept to him to be directed by the Justices, at their 4 Months Sessions for the *Highways*.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.
c. 15. Sect. 7.

Surveyors of the *Highways* neglecting to put the 6 Ann. c. 29. or any former Laws for repairing *Highways*, in Execution.

Stat. 6 Ann. c. 29.
Sect. 3.

Ten Shillings, to be levied by Distress and Sale, and employed towards such Stone or Post; if any Overplus, in repairing the *Highways*.

Five Pounds, to be levied by Distress and Sale in three Days.

One Moiety to the *Highways*.

The other Moiety to the Prosecutor, so as he be an Inhabitant

Offences. Highways. Penalties.
(Constables and Surveyors.)

tant of the Town,
Village, or Place.

Justices of Corporations, &c. are to put in Execution this and all former Statutes relating to *Highways*.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 52. Sect. 7.

[Two] Surveyors of the *Highways* elected, and not taking the Office upon them.

Stat. 2 & 3 P. & M. c. 8. Sect. 1.

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Bailiff or High Constable, not accounting for Monies by them received towards the Repair of the *Highways*.

Stat. 2 & 3 P. & M. c. 8. Sect. 4.

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Surveyors of the *Highways* not presenting Defaulters in not repairing the *Highways*,

Twenty Shillings apiece, by Distress and Sale, and employ'd in the Amendment of the *Highways*.

Increased to five Pounds, by 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 2.

To be committed till all Arrears are paid, save 8 Pence in the Pound for themselves, and 12 Pence for the Clerk of the Peace.

Forty Shillings, to be levied as the Penalties in 2 & 3 P. & M. c. 8.

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Offences. Highways. Penalties.

(Constables and Surveyors.)

ways, and all Offenders therein, to the next Justice.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 13.
Se&t. 8.

To nominate on Jan. 3. yearly, or within 15 Days after, at a special Sessions, to be held for that Purpose, out of a List, to be to them returned by the Constables, Headboroughs, Tithing-Men, Church-Wardens, Surveyors of the Highways, and Inhabitants, One, Two, or more to be Surveyor, or Surveyors of the Highways, under Hand and Seal.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 12. Se&t. 3.

Note; Justices are required to give Notice to Constables, &c. within the Division, ten Days before the holding their Special Sessions. And none are qualified to be Surveyors who have not an Estate in Land in their own Right, or their Wives, of 10*l.* per Ann. or a Personal Estate of 100*l.* or occupy Lands, &c. of 30*l.* per Ann. if such there be.

Persons nominated by the Justices to be Surveyors of the High-

Five Pounds, to be levied by Distress and Sale.

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Offences. Highways. Penalties:

(Constables and Surveyors.)

Highways, refusing,
or neglecting.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. &
M. c. 12. Sect. 3.

One Witness.

Prosecution in six
Months.

One Moiety to the
Informer, the other
to the Repair of the
Highways.

To name other Persons in the Room of
Surveyors of the Highways refusing *toties*
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Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 3.

Constables, &c.
who shall not return
Lists of Names to the
Justices at their Spe-
cial Sessions, out of
which they are to
nominate Surveyors
of the Highways.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. &
M. c. 12. Sect. 3.

Conviction and
Prosecution, *ut su-
pra*.

Twenty Shillings,
to be levied and em-
ployed, *ut supra*.

The Surveyors, e-
very four Months, to
make their Present-
ments on Oath.

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Forty Shillings, to
be levied and employ-
ed as the Penalty for
refusing to hold.

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(Constables and Surbepors.)

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 10.

Conviction and Prosecution, *ut supra*.

Surveyor of the Highways, before he be discharged of his Office, is to account upon Oath, and if they have Money in their Hands, and do not pay it.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 9.

Prosecution in six Months.

Surveyors neglecting their Duty in any thing required by

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 12.

Conviction and Prosecution, *ut supra*.

Surveyors of the Highways nominated by

Double the Value, to be levied and employed, *ut supra*.

Forty Shillings, to be levied and disposed, *ut supra*.

Vide Rate, *infra*.

The like Penalty on Surveyors neglecting

Offences. Highways. Penalties.

(Constables and Surbeyors.)

by Virtue of the Stat.
3 & 4 W. & M. c.
12. within fourteen
Days after Accep-
tance of their Of-
fice; and so every 4
Months, or ofiner, if
required thereto by
Warrant, to view all
the Roads, Common
Highways, Bridges,
Causeways, Pave-
ments, Hedges, Ditch-
es, and Water-Cours-
es appertaining to
such *Highways*, and
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to give an Account
in Writing upon Oath,
of the State and Con-
dition of them, and
of Neglects of La-
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bourers or Teams, to
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To be levied and
disposed of as the Pe-
nalties are by 3 & 4
W. & M. c. 12.

Justices, at such
their Special Sessions,
may excuse on rea-
sonable Excuse.

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(Constables and Surveyors.)

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c.
52. Sect. 2.

Justices at their Special Sessions, by Writing under their Hands and Seals, may order Roads out of Repair, within the Hundred or Division, to be amended, and in what Manner the same shall be performed.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c.
52. Sect. 3.

Surveyors or other Persons misapplying any Fine, Penalty, or Forfeiture laid by Virtue of this Act, on Proof, upon Oath, before Justices at their Special Sessions, who likewise may examine upon Oath, Persons that can give any Account of Monies that ought to be applied to amend Highways.

Stat.

Surveyors required to proceed according to such Orders.

Forfeit five Pounds to the Informer.
To be levied by Distress.

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Stat. 1 Geo. I. c. 52.
Sect. 5.

Note; Justices Clerks not to take any Fee for Surveyor's Oath, or Accounts, on Pain of Ten Pounds, to be recovered in any Court of Record.

Stat. 1 Geo. I. c. 52. Sect. 11.

[D. Sess.] Surveyors neglecting their Duty.

Stat. 1 Geo. I. c. 52. Sect. 10.

Forfeit Forty Shillings, to be levied by Distress and Sale, if not paid in eight Days.

(Obstructions.)

[Two] Persons laying in any *Highways*, not 20 Foot broad, any Thing whereby the same may be obstructed or annoyed.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 4.

One Witness.

Prosecution in six Months.

Five Shillings, to be levied by Distress and Sale.

One Moiety to the Informer, the other to the Repair of the *Highways*.

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(Obstructions.)

Possessors of Lands next adjoining to *Highways*, where Timber, Stone, Hay, Straw, Stubble, or other Matter for making Dung is laid, shall remove and dispose of the same to their own Use; and if they neglect to clear the Way, or cleanse their Ditches, and carry away the Earth; to lay sufficient Trunks, or Bridges, where there are Cart-ways, into Grounds, by the space of ten Days after Notice given by Surveyors.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 6.

Conviction and Prosecution, *ut supra*.

Owner of Tree, Bush, or Shrub, growing in any *Highway*, not cutting it down in

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Five Shillings for every Offence, to be levied and employ'd, *ut supra*.

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in 10 Days after Notice by the Surveyor.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 6.

Conviction and Prosecution, *ut supra*.

Persons neglecting or delaying to scowr and keep open Ditches, and Water-Courses adjoining to *Highways*, and to remove such Annoyances to the *Highways* 30 Days after Notice by Surveyors: Or shall leave the Earth of Ditches scowred in the *Highways*, for the Space of eight Days, Oath thereof being made by Surveyors.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 52. Sect. 8.

[*Q. Sess.*] Not scowring Ditches or keeping low Hedges, Trees and Bushes, according to 5 *Eliz. c. 13*.

Stat.

Forfeit two Shillings and Six-pence for every 8 Yards of Dirching so not scowred.

And not exceeding five Pounds, nor under twenty Shillings for each other Offence.

To be levied by Distress and Sale, and applied to the amending the *Highways*.

Ten Shillings, to be levied by Distress and Sale.

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Stat. 18 Eliz. c. 10.
Sect. 8.

Not scowring the
Ditches in the Ground
next the *Highway*.

Stat. 18 Eliz. c. 10.
Sect. 6.

Castling the Scow-
ring of Ditches into
the *Highway*, and suf-
fering it to lie there
six Months.

Stat. 18 Eliz. c. 10.
Sect. 7.

Twelve pence for
every Rod unscow-
red, to be levied, *ut*
supra.

Twelve pence for
every Load, to be le-
vied, *ut supra*.

(Presentment and Certificate.)

[*Indr*] To certify the Presentments made
by the Surveyors of the *Highways* the next
Sessions ; and his Presentment of the *High-*
ways, upon his own Knowledge, is a good
Conviction.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 13. Sect. 9.

(Rates.)

[*Two*] At four Months Sessions upon Oath
made by the Surveyors of the *Highways* what
Sum

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(Rates.)

Sum or Sums they have expended for Materials to repair the *Highways*, the Justices are by Warrant to order a Rate to be made, according to 43 *Eliz.* for Relief of the Poor, to reimburse Surveyors.

Stat. 3 & 4 *W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 17.*

Persons refusing to pay the above-mentioned Rate for reimbursing the Surveyors.

Stat. 3 & 4 *W. & M. c. 12.*

Prosecution in six Months.

The Rate to be levied by Distress and Sale.

If any Fine, &c. imposed upon a Parish for not repairing the *Highways*, shall be levied on one or more of the Inhabitants; the Justices, at four Months Sessions, shall cause a Rate to be made to reimburse them, which is to be levied and paid by the Surveyors in a Month.

Stat. 3 & 4 *W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 14.*

[*Qu. Sect.*] To order Rates to be made for repairing the *Highways*, but not to exceed Six-pence in the Pound upon Land, and Six-pence for 20 Pounds in Personal Estate,

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(Rates.)

Estate, where they cannot be repaired by any former Law in Force.

Stat. 3 & 4 *W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 17, 18.*

To order a Rate for repair of *Highways* in the Parishes in *Middlesex*, within the Bills of Mortality, not exceeding Four-pence in the Pound Land, and Eight-pence for 20 Pounds Personal Estate.

Stat. 2 & 3 *W. & M. c. 8. Sect. 23.*

On the Surveyor's Application to the Quarter-Sessions, if the Justices there find the *Highways, &c.* so far out of Order, that they cannot be repaired without a further Power than the Laws have appointed, they may cause Assessments to be made not exceeding what is limited by 3 & 4 *W. & M.* though the six Days Work have not been performed. But raising Money by such Assessments, not to excuse the working of Teams, or Labourers, by Law appointed to work, &c.

Stat. 1 *Geo. 1. c. 52. Sect. 6.*

To make such Order for Relief of Persons aggrieved as they shall think convenient. The same to conclude and bind all Persons, except such who neglect to scowr their Ditches, and carry away the Earth
taken

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(Gates.)

taken out of the same, or who shall not carry away Stone, Timber, Straw, or Dung, left in *Highways*; or who shall not remove Annoyances to *Highways* by Water-Courses.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 52. Sect. 12.

Note; No Person is liable to be punished for any Offence against the Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 52. unless prosecuted in six Months. And no Person who shall be punished for any Offence by this Act, to be punished for the same Offence by Virtue of any other Act or Law whatsoever.

Sect. 14. *Ibid.*

(Sessions.)

[Tw] To hold a Special Sessions for the *Highways*, every four Months, and summon thereunto all the Surveyors of the *Highway*, and declare to them what they are obliged to do by Virtue of this, or any former Act.

Stat.

Justices neglecting or refusing to do what is requir'd of them by this Act, forfeit five Pounds, to be recovered by Action of Debt, &c.

One Moiety to the Prosecutor, the other in amending the *Highways*.

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Offences. **Highways.** Penalties.
(Sessions.)

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & | Prosecution in six
M. c. 12. Sect. 10. | Months.

[fibr] After Summons, to shew Cause why *Highways* should not be enlarged: At the Quarter-Sessions to order the Enlarging or Widening any *Highway*; but the Ground taken in must not exceed eight Yards; nor must any House be pull'd down, or Garden, Orchard, Court or Yard, taken away; and Satisfaction must be made, by Jury, for the same, not exceeding 25 Years Purchase.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 15. Sect. 1.
An Appeal to the Judge of Assise.

[fibr] To order Assessments upon Land not exceeding Six-pence in the Pound; And upon Personal Estate, not exceeding Six-pence for every 20 Pounds, upon such as are to pay to the *Highways*, towards Payment of the Owners of the Land taken away.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 15. Sect. 2.
Appeal, *ut supra*.

[Qu. Sess.]

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(Sessions.)

[Qu. Sess.] To enquire of Breaches of 2 & 3 P. & M. c. 8. concerning *Highways*, and to set such Fines as they, or any two (*Quor. 1.*) shall think fit, to be levied by Way of Distress; and if no Distress, or not paid in 20 Days after Demand, double so much, to be employed in mending the *Highways*.

Stat. 2 & 3 P. & M. c. 8. Sect. 10.

To assess a Fine upon a Justice of Peace, his Presentment of the *Highways*, upon his own Knowledge, to be estreated, levied, accounted, and employed, as by 2 & 3 P. & M. c. 8.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 13. Sect. 9.

(Who to Work.)

[Two] Persons having a Team, or Plough Land, either in Arable, or Pasture, and a Subsidy Man of 9 Pounds in Goods, or forty Shillings in Lands, not sending two able Men with Team

Ten Shillings for every Day, to be levied by Distress and Sale, and employ'd in the mending of *Highways*.

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(Who to Work.)

Team and Tools convenient, to work for six Days, eight Hours in a Day.

Stat. 2 & 3 P. & M. c. 8. Sect. 2.

— 5 Eliz. c. 3. Sect. 2.

— 18 Eliz. c. 16. Sect. 2, 3.

Quor. 1.

Cottagers not working themselves, or finding a sufficient Labourer.

Stat. 2 & 3 P. & M. c. 8. Sect. 2.

Quor. 1.

Labourers neglecting to work in the Highways.

Others, neglecting to send a Man and a Horse.

Others neglecting to send a Cart with two Men.

Stat. 22 Car. 2. c. 12. Sect. 9.

Upon

Twelve-pence for every Day, to be levied, *ut supra*.

One Shilling and Six-pence.

Three Shillings.

Ten Shillings.

To be levied by Distress and Sale.

Offences. **Highways.** *Penalties.*

(*Who to Who.*)

Upon Surveyor's
Complaint, and one
Witness.

[*Two*] Or more Justices of the Peace for the County of *Middlesex*, at any Petty Sessions, or Special Sessions of the Peace, upon Application made to them by any five of the Trustees for repairing the *Highways* between *Kilburn Bridge* in *Middlesex*, and *Sparrows-Herne* in *Hertford*, to adjudge and determine what Part and Portion of the Statute Work shall be done in the said Roads, by and in each Parish.

8 Geo. 1. c. 9. Sect. 3.

See also Tit. *Scavengers, Turnpikes and Westminster.*

Hops.

[*One*] **T**O administer an Oath to every Officer, who shall be impowered to make a Charge on *Hops*, for the due and faithful Execution of his Office, and shall give to such Officer a Certificate thereof.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 12. Sect. 12.

Hops.

Horses.

[One] **T**O take the Oaths of two Witnesses to prove a stolen Horse to be the Owner's, and on the Buyer's Oath what he paid for the Horse, the Owner is to have him again, paying the Buyer: But this must be done in six Months after the Sale.

Stat./31 Eliz. c. 12. Sect. 4.

[Qu. Sess.] Have Power to hear and determine all Offences against 32 H. 3. c. 13 for putting stoned Horses to feed upon Forests or Common Ground, above two Years old, and not 15 Hands high, according to the Standard, and for refusing to measure them.

Stat 32 H. 3. c. 13. Sect. 3.

Vide Tir. Cattle and Hairs.

House of Correction.

[Qu. Sess.] **T**O give Orders for erecting Houses of Correction, and for Maintenance and Government of the same, and for the Punishment of Offenders committed thither; and to appoint
Gover-

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Governors and their Salaries, which are to be paid Quarterly by the Treasurers.

Stat. 39 *Eliz. c. 4. Sect. 1.*

— 7 *Jac. 1. c. 4. Sect. 6.*

Governors of Houses of Correction, not yielding a true Account every Quarter-Sessions, of Persons committed, or suffering any to escape, or to be troublesome to the County by going abroad.

Stat. 7 *Jac. 1. c. 4. Sect. 9.*

Fineable, as Justices shall think fit.

Vide Tit. Gaol.

Houses. *Vide Window-Duties.*

Hunting. *Vide Game.*

Informers.

[One] **U**PON Informations for Trespases, Batteries, and other Misdemeanors, to take the Informer's Recognisance in 20*l.* That he will prosecute with

Offences. **Informers.** **Penalties.**
with Effect, and abide by such Order as
the Court shall direct.
Stat. 4 & 5 W. & M. c. 18. Sect. 2.

Ingrossers. Vide **Foystallers** and **In-**
grossers.

Innkeepers. Vide **Alshouses** and **Cribs.**

Insolvent Debtors.

[One] **M**AY on such Prisoner's Petiti-
on, by Warrant, order him
to be brought to the Quarter-Sessions, to
be held within 30 Days after, with the
Warrant of his Detainer, and Copies of
the Causes wherewith charged; which
Warrant of the Justice, all Sheriffs, Gaol-
ers, &c. are commanded to obey. Stat.
2 Geo. 2. c. 20. Sect. 4.

Justices granting such Warrants to give
Notice under Hand and Seal thereof, and
of the Prisoner's Petition, to be served on
the Creditors, their Executors, &c. thirty
Days before the said Sessions so appointed
by the Warrant. *Ibid.* Sect. 10.

Also Notice to be in the *Gazette* 30 Days
before the said Sessions. *Ibid.*

A Prisoner so petitioning, is to leave
with the said Justice a Copy of the Sched-
ule

Offen. Insolvent Debtors. Penal.

dule of his (Effects, &c.) intended Discovery, to be sworn to at the said Quarter-Sessions, which Copy the Justice is to transmit to the Clerk of the Peace, to be seen by any Creditor without Fee. *Ibid.* Sect. 28.

[Two] May on Application of the Assignes (after such Prisoner's Discharge) examine him or others, for a further Discovery of his Estate and Effects; and on refusing to appear or be sworn, or to answer, &c. may commit him to the County Gaol till he submits and answers. *Ibid.* Sect. 36.

[Qu. Sess] To take the Sheriff's or Gaoler's Oath of the Truth of Lists of Prisoners, and that they were so on the 29. Sept. 1728. *Ibid.* Sect. 1.

The Oath to be entred at the Bottom of the List, and taken and subscribed in open Court to be kept by the Clerk of the Peace, to be seen without Fee, &c. and the said Sessions to order Copies of Lists to be printed by the Clerk of the Peace, for each of which he may take 1 s. *Ibid.* Sect. 2.

The Prisoner is in open Court to subscribe and deliver in a Schedule of all his Estate, Names of his Debtors, Sums by them owing and Places of their Abode, with such
Witnesses

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Witnesses as can prove the same, and swear to the Truth thereof. *Ibid.* Sect. 4.

The said Schedule to remain with, and the Prisoner's Estate, Copyhold, Freehold, &c. vested in the Clerk of the Peace, who is to assign it to such Creditors as the major Part shall elect in Trust for themselves and the rest of the Creditors. The said Clerk's Fee for this, 2s. and no more. *Ibid.* Sect. 5.

If it be proved at the said Sessions that such Notice, *ut supra*, was served, or left with all the Petitioner's Creditors, and publick Notice inserted in the *Gazette* 30 Days before the said Sessions, and that he was actually a Prisoner on the said 29. September, and continued so; and that the Oath taken by him be not disproved by good Testimony of any: Then the said Sessions shall order the Sheriff or Gaoler to set him at Liberty without Fee, except 1s. for his Attendance there. *Ibid.* Sect. 10.

The Sessions, if required by any Creditor to administer Oaths to Gaolers, &c. as *Ibid.* Sect. 11 and 12.

And Note; such Discharges of Prisoners are to be before the 29th of September 1723. or they are excluded. *Ibid.* Sect. 32. See the Act at large.

Offen. Journeymen Taylors. Penal.

[Two] **A**NY Person brought up in, or professing, using, or exercising the Art or Mystery of a Taylor, or Journeyman Taylor, in making up Mens or Womens Work in the Cities of *London* and *Westminster*, or *Weekly Bills of Mortality*, who shall at any Time after the First of *May* 1721. keep up, continue, act in, make, enter into, sign, seal, or be knowingly interested or concerned in any Contract, Covenant, or Agreement, in Writing, or not in Writing, for advancing their Wages, or for lessening their usual Hours of Work.

To be committed either to the House of Correction, to hard Labour, not exceeding *two Months*, or to the Common Gaol, there to remain without Bail or Mainprize, not exceeding 2 Months, at the Discretion of the Justices before whom convicted.

See *New Mod. Cases*, pag. 10, 11.

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One or more credible Witnesses.

Prosecution in three Months after the Offence was committed.

Stat. 7 Geo. 1. c. 13. Sess. 1. Sect. 1.

Journeymen Taylors, Servants, and Apprentices to Taylors, and others, employ'd or retained as Taylors, in making up Mens or Womens Work within the Cities of *London* and *Westminster*, or *Weekly Bills of Mortality*, after the first of *May* 1721, to work from Six of the Clock in the Morning untill Eight at Night. The Master to allow one Penny Half-penny a Day for Breakfast, and one Hour for Dinner. And for the Time or Hours of Work aforesaid, to pay them not exceeding *two Shillings per Diem*, from the 25th Day of *March* to the 24th Day of *June*. And for the Rest of the Year, *One Shilling and Eight-pence per Diem*.

Stat. 7 Geo. 1. c. 13. Sess. 1. Sect. 2.

Taylors or others, acting as such within the Limits aforesaid, hiring, retaining, or employing any Journeyman Taylor, or other Person, not being an Apprentice, to pay them after the *Rates aforesaid* for the full Time for which they hire them.

Ibid. Sect. 3.

Offen. Journeymen Taylors. Penal.

Upon Complaint thereof, to summon before them the Party offending, and for Non-payment of the Wages directed by this Statute, to issue their Warrant for levying such Wages by Distress and Sale, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 4.

Journeymen Taylors, &c. departing from his Service before the End of the Term for which he is hired, or untill the Work for which he was hir'd, be finish'd; or not being retain'd or employ'd, shall refuse to work after Request made for that Purpose by any Master Taylor, for the Wages and Hours limited, unless some reasonable Cause to be allowed by two Justices.

For Want of Distress, to commit the Party offending to the Common Gaol without Bail or Mainprize, till Payment or Satisfaction made.

To be committed to the House of Correction to hard Labour not exceeding two Months.

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Justices. And being
thereof convicted.

Ibid. Sect. 6.

Taylor, &c. with-
in the Limits afore-
said giving, allowing,
or paying any more,
or greater Wages
than limited by this
Statute or the *Qu.*
Sess. for the Hours of
Work aforesaid, to
any Journeyman Tay-
lor, &c. being law-
fully convicted.

Prosecution in 3
Months.

Ibid. Sect. 7.

Journeymen Tay-
lors, &c. taking
more or greater Wa-
ges for the Hours of
Work aforesaid than
limited by this *Stat.*
or *Qu. Sess.*

Ibid. Sect. 7.

Five Pounds. One
Moiety to the Infor-
mer or Prosecutor.

The other to the
Poor of the Parish
where, &c.

To be sent to the
House of Correction
to hard Labour, not
exceeding 2 Months.

Note;

Penal.

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Note ; All Wages, Pay or Allowances contrary to this Act or Order of Qu. Sess. are null and void.

Ibid. Sect. 7.

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tor.
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Parish

This Act does not extend to Wages or Allowances agreed upon for working before or after the Hours of Work limited, or to be limited.

Ibid. Sect. 8.

[Qu. Sess.] An Appeal lies to the next General Quarter-Sessions, giving six Days Notice, whose Judgment is final. And may award reasonable Costs to either Party, as to them shall seem just.

Ibid. Sect. 9.

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onths.

Within the Limits aforesaid, upon Application to be made to them for that Purpose, may from time to time take into their Consideration the Plenty or Scarcity of the Times, &c. and alter the Wages and Hours of Work directed by this Statute. *And*

To be imprisoned, not exceeding two Months.

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Offen. Journeymen Taylors. Penal.

may order and appoint what *Wages* and *Allowances* shall be paid or made to Journeymen Taylors, &c. and what *Hours* they shall work, which Rates and Alterations the Sessions must cause to be printed and published in 14 Days next after such General Quarter-Sessions, at the reasonable Expence of the Persons desiring the same. And from and after Publication thereof, All Taylors and their Journeymen, &c. not observing the same, and being thereof convicted.

Ibid. Sect. 5.

Prosecution in six Days after Offence committed,

Jurors.

Offences. **Jurors.** *Penalties.*

[*Qu. Sect.*] **T**O take the Return of the Constables and Head-boroughs, of their List of Names and Places of Abode, of Persons qualified to serve on Juries, between the Age of 21 and 70 ; which they are to make at *Michaelmas* Sessions yearly , and to cause the Clerk of the Peace to deliver a Duplicate thereof to the Sheriff, before the first of *January* after, and to enter the same fairly in a Book.

Stat. 7 & 8 W. 3. c. 32. Sect. 4.

Note ; The foregoing Act is continu'd for 11 Years, and to the End of the next Sessions of Parliament ; and an explanatory Clause added touching *Jurors* in *Yorkshire*, not to be returned to serve at the Sessions or Adjournments there above once in four Years.

10 Ann. c. 14. Sect. 4.

This not to extend to Assises, or general Gaol-Delivery.

At *Midsummer* Sessions yearly to issue Warrants, under the Hands and Seals of two or more, to the High Constables, to issue out their Precepts to prepare a List of Freeholders, according to 7 & 8 W. 3.

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c. 32.

*Offences.**Jurors.**Penalties.*

c. 32. which the Constables are to return the first Day of *Michaelmas* Sessions.

Note ; This Act and the Act 7 & 8 W. 3. c. 32. are to be read publickly in open Court.
Stat. 3 & 4 Ann. c. 18. Sect. 5.

Continued for 11 Years, &c. by 10 Ann. c. 14. Sect. 4.

The High Constables not issuing their Precepts to the Constables, to prepare their Lists of Persons to serve on Juries.

Stat. 3 & 4 Ann. c. 18. Sect. 5.

Ten Pounds.

The Petty Constables not returning the List of Persons to serve on Juries.

Stat. 3 & 4 Ann. c. 18. Sect. 5.

Five Pounds.

Vide Tir. Panels of Juries.

Note ; All the Clauses relating to the Jurors and the Returns, and Service of Jurors, in the several Statutes of 4 & 5 W. & M. and 4 Ann. *supra*, are continued for 7 Years, and to the End of the next Sessions. By Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c. 8. Sect. 2.

Justices

Offen. **Justices of Peace.** *Penal.*

Justices have Power to arrest and chastise *Rioters* and *Barretors*, and other Offenders ; and also to imprison and punish them according to Law, and by Discretion and good Advise^ment ; also to bind People of evil Fame to the Good Behaviour ; to hear and determine Felonies and Trespasses done in the same County, according to Law. And to *impose Fines* for Trespasses, which must be reasonable and just.

Stat. 34 *Eliz.* 3. 1.

Justices must keep their Sessions four times in the Year, and by three Days, if need be, *viz.* in the first Week after *Michaelmas*, *Epiphany*, *Easter*, and the *Translation* of *St. Thomas* the Martyr, *viz.* *Becket*, being the 7th of *July*. And oftner if Need require.

Stat. 12 *R.* 2. c. 10.

— 2 *H.* 5.

Justices of Peace of *Middlesex* are not compellable to keep their Sessions above twice in the Year, notwithstanding the Stat. 12 *R.* 2. c. 10. yet they may keep them oftner at their Discretion.

Stat. 14 *H.* 6.

Off. n. Justices of Peace. Penal.

None (except Men learned in the Law, or inhabiting Corporations) to be Justices, unless their Lands be worth 20 Pounds *per Annum*.

Stat. 18 H. 6. 11.

If any be put into the Commission, not having Lands, *ut supra*, and do not within one Month after Notice thereof acquaint the Lord Chancellor therewith, or do sit or make any Warrant by Force of such Commission.

Ibid.

Forfeits twenty Pounds.

To be divided betwixt the King and the Prosecutor.

Justices must certify Recognisances to the next General or Quarter Sessions, where, if the Party bound, being called, do not appear, the Recognisance must be certified into the *Chancery, King's Bench, or Exchequer*.

Stat. 3 H. 7. c. 1.

A New Commission of the Peace, or Gaol-Delivery of the whole County, does not supersede a Commission granted to a City or Town Corporate.

Stat. 2 & 3 P. & M. 18.

A Justice

Justices of Peace.

A Justice of Peace for a County at large, dwelling in a City, or other Precinct, which is a County of itself, (though not within the County at large) may grant Warrants, take Examinations, make Orders, &c. at his Dwelling-house, though it be out of the County where he is authorised to act; yet so as he do not intermeddle in Matters arising in such City or Precinct.

Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c. 7. Sect. 3.

Justices of Peace, by Virtue of a Commission from his late Majesty, or his present Majesty, granted before 13. Feb. 1727. taking the Oath of a Justice before 28. of November 1728. are indemnified for all Acts done by them as Justices, though such Oath of Office was not taken within the Time required by Law.

Stat. 1 Geo. 2. c. 23. Sect. 5.

And such Justices as qualified themselves before the said 13. Feb. and since 11 Junii 1727. are not obliged to qualify themselves again. *Ibid.* Sect. 6.

See also Tit. Scavenger and Stamp-Duty.

Keels.

Offences.	Heirs.	Penalties.
[One] Persons removing or altering the Marks of Keels, Boats, &c.		Ten Pounds, to be levied by Distress and Sale; for Default, 3 Months Imprisonment.
Stat. 6 & 7 W. 3. c. 10. Sect. 7.		The Penalty between the King and the Discoverer.
One Witness.		

Knights of the Shire. *Vide Wages.*

Labourers. *Vide Tit. Servants and Wages.*

Lamps.

[Two] TO approve the Distances which one *Lamp* is to be set from another.

Stat. 2 W. & M. c. 8. Sect. 15.

Vide Lights.

Leather.

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Qu. S. **T**HE Mayor and Aldermen of *London*, to chuse and swear eight expert Men out of some of the four Companies of *Shoemakers, Curriers, Girdlers, and Sadlers*, to be Searchers and Sealers of all tann'd Leather there, whereof one to be assigned to keep the Seal.

Stat. 1 Jac. 1. c. 22.
Sect. 31.

Head Officers in Corporate and Market-Towns, and Lords of Liberties, to appoint and swear yearly two, three, or more honest and skilful Men to be Searchers and Sealers of Leather.

Ibid. Sect. 32.

Forty Shillings, to be divided between the King and Prosecutor.

Forty Shillings to be divided, *ut supra*.

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Offences.

Leather.

Penalties.

The Mayor of *London*, and the Head Officer, or Lord afore-said, to appoint six Triers of insufficient Leather and Leather-Wares.

Ibid. Sect. 35.

Triers not doing their Duty without Delay.

Ibid. Sect. 35.

A *Trier* in *London* continuing two Years together.

Ibid. Sect. 36.

Searcher or *Sealer* refusing in convenient

Five Pounds to be divided, *ut supra*.

5*l.* to be divided *ut supra*.

Incapable of being chosen for 3 Years after, on Pain to forfeit for every Month he continues otherwise in that Office 10*l.* to be divided in Thirds. One to the King, one to the Prosecutor, and the other to the City, Borough, Town or Lord of the Liberty where the Offence is committed.

40*s.* to be divided in Thirds, *ut supra*.

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Leather.

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ent Time to do his
Office, or allowing
insufficient Wares.

Ibid. Sect. 37.

Searchers or *Sealers*
taking Bribes, or ex-
acting more than due
Fees.

Ibid. Sect. 37.

Searcher or *Sealer*
being lawfully elec-
ted, and refusing the
Office.

Ibid. Sect. 37.

Selling tann'd Lea-
ther in *London* before
it is searched and
sealed.

Ibid. Sect. 39.

Withstanding the
Searchers and *Sealers*
in the Execution of
their Office, or their
Seising insufficient
Wares.

Ibid. Sect. 40.

20 *l.* to be divided
in Thirds, *ut supra.*

10 *l.* to be divided
in Thirds, *ut supra.*

Forfeited, or the
Value thereof, to be
divided in Thirds,
ut supra.

5 *l.* to be divided
in Thirds, *ut supra.*

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Leather.

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Persons selling any tann'd Leather (red or unwrought) before it is registred.

Ibid. Sect. 42.

Persons buying any tann'd Leather before it be searched and seal'd; or carrying it out of the Fair or Market before it be registred.

Ibid. Sect. 44.

Artificers in London using tann'd and curried Leather, putting into his Wares Leather insufficiently tanned or curried.

Ibid. Sect. 44.

Such Artificers selling any where but in open Shop, Fair or Market, where due Search may be had.

Ibid. Sect. 45.

The Value thereof to be divided in Thirds, *ut supra.*

The same, or the Value thereof to be divided in Thirds, *ut supra.*

The Wares, and the just Value, to be divided in Thirds, *ut supra.*

The Wares, and ten Shillings for every Offence, to be divided in Thirds, *ut supra.*

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Buying forfeited Wares to sell again. <i>Ibid.</i> Sect. 47.	3 s. 4 d. for every Parcel, to be divided in Thirds, <i>ut supra.</i>
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Note ; The Stat. 1 Jac. 1. c. 22. is not to prejudice the Authority of the Universities, so as their Officers observe the Provision of the same ; and Hides or Skins of Ox, Steer, Bull, Cow, Calf, Deer, Goats, and Sheep, being tanned or tawed, and salt Hides are reputed Leather within this Act.

Vide Tit. Currier, Shoemaker and Tanner.

Lent. Vide Flesh.

Lights.

<p>[One] House-keepers, within the <i>Weekly Bill</i>, of <i>Mortality</i>, whose Houses adjoin to or near the Street, from <i>Michaelmas</i> to <i>Lady-day</i>, not hanging out Lights every Night from the Time it is dark, till 12 at Night,</p>	Two Shillings every Default, to be levied and employ'd as the Penalties for not sweeping the Streets.
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or paying to the Lamps. Stat. 2 W. & M. c. 8. Sect. 15. View, Confession, or one Witness.		Vide Lamps.

Linen and Hempen Manufacture. Vide
Cloth, &c.

Lord's Day. Vide Sunday.

Lotteries.

[Two] **A**fter the 1 Dec. 1721. every Person who shall erect, set up, continue, or keep any Office or Place under the Denomination of Sales of Houses, Lands, Advowsons, Presentations to Livings, Plate, Jewels, Ships, Goods, or other Things, for the Improvement of small Sums of Money, or shall sell or expose to

500 l. (for every such Offence) over and above any former Penalties inflicted by any former Act or Acts.

One Third to his Majesty, one other to the Informer, and the remaining Third to the Poor of the Parish, where the Offence is committed.

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to Sale any Houses,
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 such Proposals or
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or committed to the
 County-Gaol, with-
 out Bail for one
 whole Year, and
 from thence till full
 Payment be made of
 the 500*l.* forfeited as
 aforesaid.

Conviction by one
 or more credible Wit-
 nesses.

But Appeal lies to
 the next Qu. Sessi-
 ons, whose Judgment
 is final.

Stat. 8 Geo. 1. c. 2.
 Sect. 36.

*Offences.***Lotteries.***Penalties.*

made, &c. any Proposal or Scheme of the like Nature, under any Denomination or Title whatsoever.

Persons who by Authority of any Foreign Prince, State, &c. shall erect or keep, or cause, &c. any Lottery, or undertaking in Nature thereof, or print or publish any Proposal or Scheme for any such Lottery or Undertaking; or within this Kingdom sell or dispose of any Ticket therein.

Stat. 9 Geo. I. c. 19.
Sect. 4.

On Conviction of any such Offence by one Witness, before two Justices 200*l*. (besides former Penalties) one third to the King, another to the Informer, and another to the Poor of the Parish. Leviable by Distress and Sale; also commitment for one Year, without Bail, and till the 200*l*. is paid.

But Appeal lies to the Quarter-Sessions, whose Judgment is to be final.

Ibid. Sect. 5.

Lunatics.

Offences. **Lunaticks.** *Penalties.*

[Two] **M**AY by their Warrant directed to the Constables, Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor, of the County or Place where *Lunaticks* or mad Persons shall be found, cause such *Lunaticks* and Persons *furiously mad* to be lock'd up, and, if necessary, chain'd, &c. (but not whip'd) during their Lunacy, &c. and charge their Estate (if any) for their Maintenance; or (if none) provided for as the Poor of the Parish.

12 Ann. Sess. 2. c. 23. Sect. 22.

Malt.

[One] **C**onstable may search for Malt which is faulty or mingled, and being found, may with the Advice of a Justice of Peace make Sale thereof. The Prosecution must be within a Year; and not to be against Persons who make their own Malt.

Stat. 2 & 3 E. 6. c. 10. Sect. 10.

Persons disobeying the Restraint put upon Malsters, and Buyers of Barley, for making

Three Days Imprisonment without Bail, and there to remain till they enter into a Re-

Offences.

Malt.

Penalties.

making Malt, by the Justices in their Sessions.

Stat. 39 *Eliz.* c. 16.
Sect. 1.

Recognisance of 40*l.* to obey the said Restraint.

Note; This extends not to such as have Barley of their own growing, Tithe-Corn or Rent-Corn, but they may make Malt.

[*Qu. Sell.*] Every Person employing less Time in making and drying of Malt (except in *June, July* and *August*) than three Weeks, and in those Months less than 17 Days; and putting to Sale Malt mingled of good and bad.

Stat. 2 & 3 *Ed.* 6.
c. 10. Sect. 2.

Putting any Malt to Sale before (by treading, rubbing and fanning it) he shall have taken out of every Quarter Half a Peck

Two Shillings for every Quarter.

To be divided between the King and Prosecutor.

Twenty Pence for every Quarter, to be divided, *ut supra.*

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a Peck of Dust or
more.

Stat. 2 & 3 Ed. 6.
c. 10. Sect. 3.

May restrain the superfluous Number of
Malsters, and Buyers of Barley to be con-
verted into Malt.

Stat. 39 Eliz. c. 16. Sect. 1.
See Tit. Excise.

Malt entred and made for Exportation
only (as the Act directs) not to be charged
with any of the Duties imposed on Malt
made in *Great Britain*; and no Drawback
to be allowed on any Malt exported.

Stat. 12 Geo. 1. c. 4. Sect. 47.

Makers of Malt
for Exportation, are,
before they begin to
steep it, to leave
Notice in Writing of
the Quantities inten-
ded to be made, &c.
which shall be kept
separate from what
is intended for home
Consumption.

Ibid. Sect. 48.

5 s. for every Bu-
shel found mixed
with what is intend-
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Maltsters shall not begin to wet any Grain to make into Malt for Exportation, for above six Days before the Corn, &c. intended for home Consumption be dried off; nor wet any Grain for home Consumption above six Days before the Malt for Exportation be dried and lock'd up, *ut infra*.

Ibid. Sect. 49.

Notice in Writing is to be given by the Exporter to the Port-Officer, of the Day, and Hour when the putting such Malt on Board is to be begun, and of the Ship's Name, &c.

Sect. 56.

If such Malt be not exported within nine Months after made

5 s. for every Bushel so wet, &c.

5 s. for every Bushel put on Board without such Notice.
Ibid.

5 s. for every Bushel.

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made and put into
Rooms or Store-
houses, *ut infra*.

Ibid. Sect. 56.

Maltsters (other
than Compounders
for the Duties) not
to mix their Corn or
Grain of one wetting
or steeping, or any
Part thereof, or of
their Couches or
Floors, with Corn or
Grain of a former
wetting or steeping
before it be put on
the Kiln for drying.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 1.
Sect. 11, 12.

Malt for Expor-
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former. *Vide Excise, ante.*

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providing Rooms or
Storehouses with
Locks, &c. or not
giving Notice, or not
causing it to be mea-
sured and lock'd up
within six Days after
it is dried, forfeits 50 l.

Ibid. Sect. 57.

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there kept from other Malt under two Locks and Keys, one to be kept by the Officer, &c.

Stat. 12 Geo. 1. c.
4. Sect. 50.

The said Officers may gage such Malt in all its Operations, till it be fully dried, &c. and on Notice are to attend at Store-houses, &c. on the Delivery out of Malt for Exportation ; as also to keep an Account thereof, and give out Certificates, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 51, 52
and 53.

The Port-Officers are to attend the Measuring of Malt, and to continue on board till the Ship be cleared.

Ibid. Sect. 54.

Opposing and hindring an Officer for feits 50*l*.

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The Hatches of the Ship are to be lock'd down when it is not loading, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 55.

Breaking open the Hatches after lock'd down, 50*l.*

Markets. Vide Tit. Fairs.

Marshalsea. Vide Tit. Rates, in Tit. Poor.

Mats. Vide Tit. Mapists.

Master and Mistress. Vide Tit. Servants and Apprentices.

Mats.

[four] **T**O licence Persons to make Mats, Coverlets, and Dornicks, in *Norwich* or *Norfolk*. If a Reward be taken for such Licence, the Forfeiture is five Pounds.

Stat. 5 & 6 Ed. 6. c. 24. Sect. 5.

[Qu. Sess.] Making any Mats, Dornicks, or Coverlets, in *Norfolk*, without Licence, except in a Corporate Town.

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Every six Felts 10*s.* every Coverlet 3*s.* 4*d.* every six Yards of Dornicks 6*s.* 8*d.*

Not to extend to *Pulham* in *Norfolk*.

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Stat. 5 & 6 Ed. 6.
c. 24. Sect. 3.

Head-makers. *Vide Tit. Erise.*

Measures. *Vide Tit. Weights.*

Money.

[One] **T**O hear and determine, upon Oath, whether any Piece of Money cut be counterfeit or not.

Stat. 9 & 10 W. 3. c. 21. Sect. 1.

Vide Tit. Coin.

Mint.

THE Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c. 28. *impowering Justices of the County of Surrey to act in certain Cases for suppressing Riots and Tumults, &c. within the Place commonly called the Mint*; it may seem not wholly improper to insert, under this Title, a brief Abstract of so much of the said Act, as concerns the said Justices.

[One] On Complaint by any, having a legal Writ, and

If the Sheriff, Bailiff, or Officer, neglect or refuse on such Warrant,

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and Affidavit made before <i>one Justice</i> , That 50 <i>l.</i> is owing to him by a Person he knows or believes to be in the <i>Mint</i> .	Warrant, with such Power, &c. to use his best Endeavours for executing such Process, Execution, or Extent, he forfeits 200 <i>l.</i> to the Plaintiff; recoverable by Action of Debt or Case, &c.	<i>Ibid.</i>

[Three] *Justices* of the County of *Sur-*
rey, may in their Discretion, issue their
 Warrant to the Sheriff there, or the Bai-
 liff, &c. of *Southwark*, requiring them un-
 der the Penalty *infra*, to raise the *Pos-*
se Com' or other Power, and enter the
Mint, and arrest; and in Case of Re-
 sistance or Refusal, break open any Door
 to arrest such Person on Mesne Process,
 &c. or seise Goods on an Execution or
 Extent.

Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c. 28. Sect. 2.

And resisting or opposing <i>there</i> , any Officer	And thereof convicted ed on Indictment or O 5 Infor-
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Officer of Justice, or such as aid him in executing any Writ, Escape Warrant, or other Justice's Warrant, or any legal Process, Execution, or Extent; or rescuing any Prisoner taken thereon, or knowingly harbouring or concealing such Prisoner, or any who rescued him, or who abetted or aided in such Resistance or Rescue. Or exercising any unlawful Jurisdiction *there*, or making or executing (or joining therein) of any Rule, Order, &c. for supporting any pretended Privilege *there*; or opposing, or hindring the Execution of any legal Process or Warrant, or Rule, Order or

Information brought or filed within six Months after any of the said Offences, he shall be adjudged Guilty of Felony, and transported, &c.

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Decree of any Court.

Ibid. Sect. 2.

Persons *there*, wearing Vizards or Masks, or having their Faces or Bodies disguised, joining in or aiding, or abetting any Riot or Tumult there, or knowingly and willingly opposing the Execution of any legal Process, Order, or Warrant; or assaulting and abusing any Person serving or executing the same, or for having so done.

Ibid. Sect. 3.

All who knowingly harbour or conceal any such disguised Person, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 3.

On Conviction thereof, to be adjudged Guilty of Felony, without Benefit of Clergy.

On Conviction, Guilty of Felony, and to be transported.

Note; A Reward of 40*l.* is given to any who shall apprehend and convict one guilty of any the Offences before mentioned, payable by the Sheriff of *Surrey*, without any Deduction or Fee, within one Month after the Conviction, and a Demand made

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 by tendering a Certificate thereof, under
 the Judge or the Justice's Hands, before
 whom convicted; who in Cases of Dispute,
 may in the Certificate, proportion the
 Shares payable to the said Parties. *Ibid.*
 Sect. 4.

The Sheriff making Default of Payment. <i>Ibid.</i> Sect. 4.	Forfeits double the Sum to the Party, recoverable by Action.
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[T^W] If any Person be killed by such Offender, in endeavouring to apprehend him, the Executors or Administrators of the deceased, on the Certificate of a Judge of Assize, or two next Justices, of such Persons being so killed, (which Certificate the said Judge or two Justices, on Proof of the Fact are immediately to give *gratis*) shall receive 40*l.* from the Sheriff of the County where the Fact was done. *Ibid.* Sect. 5.

The Sheriff on Non-payment, &c. <i>Ibid.</i> Sect. 5.	Forfeits 80 <i>l.</i>
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Any Apprehender or Prosecutor, *ut supra*, guilty of, and not in Prison for any of the said Offences, and convicting two or more of any of the said Offence, shall not only have the said 40*l.* but also be pardoned. *Ibid.* Sect. 8.

Murder.

[Qu. Sess.] **I**N Case of Murder, may enquire of Escapes, and certify them into the King's Bench.

Stat. 3 H. 7. c. 1. Sect. 21.

Hets. Vide Tit. Fish and Game.

New Parishes, &c.

[One] **N**OTE; the several Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 10. &c. 30. for making *Spittle Fields* and *Wapping Stepney*, distinct Parishes, &c. are the same *Mutatis Mutandis*, only the Rector of *Spittle Fields* is to be paid 125*l.* per *Ann.* and the Rector of *Wapping* 100*l.* per *Ann.* both without Deduction. *Ibid* Sect. 4. And on Default of Payment, the several Rectors may sue the Churchwardens by Action of Debt at *Westminster*. *Ibid* Sect. 5. Or complain to one or more Justices of *Middlesex*, who on Oath of the Arrears due, may order the said Churchwardens to appear (within four Days after) and cause the Sum and Charges to be levied by Distress, &c. *Ibid* Sect. 6. And if no Distress be found, the succeeding Churchwardens are liable to Action or Distress in like Manner; so as such Arrears.

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do not exceed 100*l.* and such Action or Complaint, be within three Months after such Successor's Entering into Office. *Ibid.* Sect. 7.

Norwich Stuffs.

[One] **T**O con-
vict
Counterfeits of the
Seal for *Norwich* Stuffs
or sealing them with
a counterfeit Seal,
or removing the
Seal from one Piece
to another.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car.
2. c. 5. Sect. 14.

Confession or two
Witnesses.

Buyers of Stuffs
unsealed, and they
in whose Possession
they are found, other
than the first Owner
or Maker, and the
Maker or Seller de-
livering them un-
seal'd.

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Twenty Pounds.

Four Shillings for
the Poor of the
Trade, to be levied
by Distress, &c.

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Stat. 13 & 14 *Car.*

2. c. 5. Sect. 13.

Two Witnesses.

Weavers weaving
without their proper
Mark at the Head of
the Piece.

Stat. 13 & 14 *Car.*

2. c. 5. Sect. 16.

Persons refusing to
appear on any Jury
to be returned, by
Virtue of the Stat.
13 & 14 *Car.* 2. c. 5.
Sect. 20.

Three Shillings to
be levied and dispo-
sed, *ut supra*.

Five Shillings to
be levied and dispo-
sed, *ut supra*.

[Two] Two Justices of the County of
Norfolk, shall join with the Major and one
Justice of the City of *Norwich*, in taking
the Account of the Wardens of the Wea-
vers of *Norwich* Stuffs quarterly, and ap-
plying one Half of the Fines and Forfei-
tures for the Poor of the said Trade.

Stat. 13 & 14 *Car.* 2. c. 5. Sect. 22.

[Three] Three Justices of the County of
Norfolk, with the Mayor of *Norwich*, and two
Justices of the City, to confirm By-Laws
made by the Wardens and Assistants there
chosen,

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chosen, for the regulating the making of
Norwich Stuffs.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 5. Sect. 3.
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Oath.

[One] **I**F any, who maintain that the taking of an Oath in any Case whatsoever is unlawful, do refuse to take an Oath, where by Law they are bound; or do endeavour to persuade others to refuse; or maintain that the taking an Oath in any Case whatsoever is unlawful.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 1. Sect. 2

To be committed to Gaol, or be bound over with Sureties to the Quarter Sessions, in order to Conviction.

Note; Quakers are exempted from the Penalties of this Act, per

Stat. 1 W. & M. c. 18. Sect. 13.

Vide Tit. Quakers.

[Two]

Oath.

[*Thi*] In Default of Justices, in Corporations, two Justices of the County are to administer the Oaths required to be taken by Officers in Corporations.

Stat. 13 Car. 2. c. 1. Sect. 10.

Two next Justices, *Quorum unus*, to administer an Oath to the *Sheriff* or *Returning Officer*, upon his delivering over to the Clerk of the Peace the *Poll-Books* of the *Election of Knights of the Shire*, within 20 Days after the *Election*, That he has delivered over all the said Books without Imbezilment or Alteration. Or where there are more Clerks of the Peace than one, the Original Books to one, and attested Copies to the Rest.

10 Ann. c. 23. Sect. 5.

[*Qu. Sess.*] To discharge Persons certified by two Justices to have refused to take the Oath, and subscribe the Declaration, upon their doing it in open Sessions.

Stat. 1 W. & M. c. 15. Sect. 8.

See the Stat. 2 Geo. 2. for indemnifying such as have omitted to qualify themselves by taking the Oaths within the Time limited, and allowing them further Time; and for repealing so much of the Stat. 1 Geo. 1. as requires them to qualify themselves within three Months, and for limiting

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ing other Times: As also for repealing so much of the Stat. 30 Car. 2. as relates to the sworn Servants of the King or Queen. Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 31.

And Note; the several Statutes 9 Geo. 1. c. 18. and c. 24. and 10 Geo. 1. c. 4. for Papists and reputed Papists, taking the Oaths, &c. on that Occasion, seem to be expired.

Oath of Allegiance, &c. Vide Tit. Papist, post. 312.

Oaths. Vide Day.

Officers and Soldiers. Vide Stat. of Mutiny and Desertion.

Orchards.

[One] **P**ersons unlawfully cutting and taking Corn growing, robbing Orchards, and taking away any Fruit-Trees; breaking any Hedges, Pales, or other Fences, cutting or spoiling any Woods or

First Offence, To pay to the Person griev'd such Damages as the Justice shall appoint. If he be thought not able to pay, to be committed to the Constable, to be whip'd, and for every other Offence to be whip'd.

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Under woods, standing and growing, or the like, and the Accessories thereunto.

Stat. 43 Eliz. c. 7.
Sect. 1.

Confession, or one Witness.

Prosecution to be in six Weeks, but 15 Car. 2. c. 2. which see (in Tit. *Woods*), alters the Punishment.

The Constable refusing or neglecting to do his Duty, to be committed till he does.

In the Justice's own Case, he is to associate one or more Justices.

Overseers of the Poor. Vide Tit. Poor.

Overseers of Cloth. Vide Tit. Cloth.

Dales. Vide Tit. Orchards.

Panel's of Juries.

[Qu. Sell.] **J**USTICES before whom Panels of Juries are returned by the Sheriff, to enquire for the King, Quor. 1. may reform such Panels, and the Sheriff must return the Panel so reformed, on the Penalty of twenty

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ty Pounds, to be divided between the King
and the Prosecutor.

Stat. 3 H. 8. c. 12. Sect. 6.

Papists and Popish Superstition.

Agnus Dei, &c.

[Dnt] **P**ersons bring-
ing into any of the
Queen's Dominions
any *Agnus Dei*, Cros-
ses, Pictures, Beads,
or any such vain or
superstitious Thing ;
or delivering, or of-
fering the same to
any Person to be u-
sed.

Stat. 13 Eliz. c. 2.
Sect. 7.

[Qui. Sect.] Persons
receiving any *Agnus*
Dei, Crosses, Pictures,
Beads, &c.

Stat. 13 Eliz. c. 2.
Sect. 17.

A Premunire. A Ju-
stice may receive
Notice hereof, and
is to disclose the same
to the Privy Coun-
cil in fourteen Days
after, on Pain of a
Premunire.

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— 23 *Eliz. c. 1.*
Sect. 2.

Arms and Horses.

[One] A Popish Recusant refusing to declare what *Armour* or *Ammunition* he hath, or to deliver it to such Person as hath Power to seise it.

Stat. 3 *Jac. 1. c. 5.*
Sect. 28.

[Two] Papists, or reputed Papists, refusing to make the Declaration in 30 *Car. 2. c. 1.* or neglecting to appear before two Justices, upon Notice.

Stat. 1 *W. & M.*
Sess. 1. c. 15. Sect. 4. §

Forfeits the same, and shall be imprisoned by Warrant, for three Months, without Bail.

His Arms, Weapons, Gunpowder, or Ammunition, to be seised, by Warrant, to the Use of the Crown, to be delivered at the next Quarter-Sessions, in open Court.

If he does not discover his Arms, or hinders Search for them, to be committed for three Months without Bail, forfeits his

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Persons concealing, or privy to concealing Arms of Papists, or reputed Papists ; or hindring Search for and seizing the same.

Stat. 1 *W. & M.*
 Sess. 1. c. 15. Sect. 6.

Papists concealing, or Aiders in concealing Horses of Papists, or reputed Papists.

Stat. 1 *W. & M.* c.
 15. Sect. 10.

his Arms, and to pay treble Value, to be set at next Quarter-Sessions.

To be committed to the common Gaol for three Months, without Bail, and forfeit treble the Value of the Arms.

To be committed for three Months, without Bail, and forfeit the treble Value of the Horses.

[Four] To take away from a Popish Refusant Convict, all his Armour, Gunpowder, and Munition, but what they allow him.

Stat. 3 *Jac.* 1. c. 5. Sect. 27.

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Offences.

Penalties.

Books and Relicks.

[Two] To search the Houses and Lodgings of Popish Recusants, convict, and of every Person whose Wife is a Popish Recusant convict for Popish Books and Relicks.

Stat. 3 Jac. 1. c. 5. Sect. 26.

The Books and Relicks are to be burnt and defaced.

Crucifix.

[Du. Sess.] A Crucifix, or other Popish Relick of any Price.

Stat. 3 Jac. 1. c. 5. Sect. 26.

To be defaced in open Sessions, and then returned to the Owner.

Feme-Coverts.

[Two] Feme-Coverts being convicted Recusants (under Peerage) not conforming within three Months after Conviction.

To be committed till they conform, unless their Husbands pay 10s. a Month to the King, or the third Part of his Lands.

Stat.

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Stat. 7 Jac. 1. c. 6.
 Sect. 28.

Quor' 1.

Vide Tit. Abjuration and Church.

Jesuit and Priest.

[One] To take an Information of a Jesuit or Priest's remaining in any of the Queen's Dominions, and in twenty-eight Days to disclose it to some of the Privy Council, or forfeits

Stat. 27 Eliz. c. 2.
 Sect. 13.

Two hundred Marks

Impugning Supremacy.

[One] Persons above 16, absenting from Church above one Month, impugning the Queen's Authority in Causes Ecclesiastical,

To be committed till they conform themselves, and make Submission. He may require them to conform and submit; and if

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hastical, or frequen-
ting *Conventicles*, or
perswading others so
to do, under Pre-
sence of Exercise of
Religion.

Stat. 35 *Eliz. c. 4.*
Sect. 7.

if they refuse, they
must abjure the Realm
in open Assise or Ses-
sions.

This not to be ex-
tended to Protest-
ant Dissenters, by

Stat. 1 *W. & M.*
Sess. 1. c. 18.

Licence.

[Four] To licence a Popish Recusant to
go about his necessary Occasions, with the
Assent in Writing of the Bishop, Lord
Lieutenant, or Deputy Lieutenant, upon
Oath of the true Reason of his Journey,
and that he will make no causeless Stays.

Stat. 3 *Jac. 1. c. 5.* Sect. 7.

Maintaining the
Pope's Jurisdic-
tion.

[Three] Persons who
maintain the Juris-
diction

Incur a *Premunire*,
which two Justices
are

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Offences. *Penalties.*

dition of the Bishop,
 or See of *Rome*, and
 their Accessories.

Stat. 5 *Eliz.* c. 1.

are to hear and de-
 termine, and certify
 their Presentments
 into the Queen's
 Bench, if in Term-
 time, within forty
 Days; if not, the
 first Day of the next
 Term, on Pain of
 100 *l.*

Quor. 1.

[*Qu. Sect.*] Persons
 affirming or main-
 taining the Power or
 Jurisdiction of any
 foreign Prelate or
 Potentate within the
 Queen's Dominions.

Stat. 5 *Eliz.* c. 1.
Sect. 2.

— 23 *Eliz.* c. 1.
Sect. 2.

The Prosecution to
 be in 12 Months; but
 if by preaching,
 teaching, or Words
 only, in six Months.

Two or more Wit-
 nesses.

First Offence, For-
 feiture of all Goods
 and Chattels; and
 if not worth 20 *l.* at
 the Time of Convic-
 tion, all, and one
 Year's Imprisonment,
 without Bail.

Second Offence, *Per-
 mune.*

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The Statute of 5 *Eliz. c. 1.* against maintaining the Pope's Jurisdiction, is to be openly read by the Clerk of the Peace every Quarter-Sessions.

Stat. 5 *Eliz. c. 1. Sect. 15.*

The Comforters and Maintainers of such as obtain, or put in Use any Bull of Absolution or Reconciliation from the Bishop of *Rome*, or absolve, or be absolved thereby.

Stat. 13 *Eliz. c. 2. Sect. 4.*

— 23 *Eliz. c. 1. Sect. 2.*

A *Præmunire*, unless within 6 Weeks they discover them to some of the Privy Council.

Mas.

Saying or singing Mass.

Stat. 23 *Eliz. c. 1. Sect. 4.*

200 Marks, and one Year's Imprisonment, and not to be enlarged till the Fine be paid. Two Thirds to the Queen, one

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Hearing *Mass*.
Stat. 25 *Eliz.* c. 1.
Sect. 4.

one to her own Use,
the other for the
Poor, the third to
the Prosecutor.

100 Marks, and
one Year's Imprisonment, the Fine to
be divided, *ut supra*.

Oath of Allegiance.

[One] May require *Dissenting Teachers*,
preaching in any Congregation in such
Countries where they have not qualified
themselves, as the Toleration-Act directs,
to take the Oath and Declaration of Allegiance and Fidelity.

Stat. 10 *Ann.* c. 2. Sect. 9.

[Two] To tender the Oath of Allegiance
to any Persons of 18, or above, convicted
or indicted of Recusancy, who have not
received the Sacrament twice in the Year
next before, and to certify the Name, and
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next Sessions, to be recorded by the Clerk of the Peace, or Town-Clerk.

Stat. 3 *Fac.* 1. c. 4. Sect. 13.

Note ; This extends not to Noblemen, or Noblewomen.

Jointly, or severally, to administer the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy to any Person reconciled to the Church of *Rome*, and returning into the Realm, to be certified the next Sessions, on the Penalty of 40*l.* If such Person takes the Oaths, in six Days after he shall return, he shall not be prosecuted for the Treason.

Stat. 3 *Fac.* 1. c. 4. Sect. 24.

To administer the Oath of Allegiance to any Person of the Age of 18, or above, and not a Peer.

Stat. 7 *Fac.* 1. c. 6. Sect. 26.

Quor. 1.

To administer the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy, to Foreigners, who shall use for 3 Years the Trades of breaking, hickling, or dressing *Hemp* or *Flax* ; and of making and whitening Thread ; and spinning, weaving, making, whitening or bleaching Cloth made of *Hemp* or *Flax* only ;

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and making Twine or Nets for Fishery, or storing Cordage, or making Tapestry Hangings.

Stat. 15 Car. 2. c. 15. Sect. 3.

To take the Oath and Declaration of Allegiance and Fidelity of *Dissenters*, prosecuted contrary to 1 W. & M. c. 18. (and solemn Affirmation and Declaration of *Quakers*) and their Subscription to the Confession of Christian Faith, and to certify the same to the Sessions.

Stat. 10 Ann. c. 2. Sect. 8.

To administer and tender the Oaths directed by 1 Geo. 1. c. 13. to be taken, to Persons whom they shall suspect to be dangerous or disaffected to his Majesty or his Government. On Neglect or Refusal.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 13. Sect. 11.

To certify the Refusal to the Qu. Sees. to be recorded, and from thence to be certified by the Clerk of the Peace into Chancery or King's Bench.

Person so refusing or neglecting, is a Popish Recusant convicted, and forfeits as such.

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May summon any Person to appear at a Day and Place, to take the Oaths directed by 1 Geo. 1. c. 13. And on Oath made that the Summons was left at his House, and the Party not appearing.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 13. Sect. 12.

To certify the Default to the Sessions; and if he neglects or refuses to take the Oaths at the Session: His Name to be proclaimed at the first Meeting of the Sess.

Then to be adjudged a Popish Recusant Convict, and this to be certified, *ut supra*.

No Manors, Lands, &c. to be sold or bequeathed by Papists, &c. refusing to take the Oaths by any Deed or Will, unless such Deed within 6 Months after the Date; and such Will within 6 Months after the Testator's Death, be inroll'd in one of the Courts of Record at *Westminster*, or by the *Custos Rotulorum*, and two Justices, and the Clerk of the Peace, or two of them at the least, whereof the Clerk of the Peace to be one.

Stat. 3 Geo. 1. c. 18. Sect. 6.

Note; No Action or Suit for the Penalties or Forfeitures, by 1 Geo. 1. c. 13. or 3 Geo. 1. c. 18. for wilfully neglecting or refusing to

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register, to be commenced or brought after two Years.

Stat. 3 Geo. 1. c. 18. Sect. 2.

[Qu. Sess.] A Papist of the Age of 21 Years, having an Estate in Lands, and not taking the Oaths, and also repeating and subscribing the Declaration, 13 Car. 2. at the Qu. Sess. or Courts at *Westminster*, between the Hours of 9 and 12 in the Forenoon; or in Default thereof not registering his Name and Lands, &c. *what Estate he has in them, the yearly Rents, &c.* within 6 Months, and not subscribing such Register in Presence of two Justices in open Sess. or by Warrant of Attorney, under Hand and

Forfeits the Fee-simple of his Land, not registred, or fraudulently registred, and the full Value of other Lands, whereof he has not the Fee-simple.

Two Thirds thereof to the Crown, and the other to any Protestant that will sue.

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and Seal executed in the Presence of two Witnesses, who are to make Proof thereof at the Sessions upon Oath.

On Neglect or Refusal.

Two of the Justices then present to sign as Witnesses to such Entry.

Stat. 1 Geo. I. c. 55. Sect. 1.

All Officers Civil and Military, Ecclesiastical Persons, Heads of Colleges, &c. Serjeants at Law, Counsellors, Attornies, Solicitors, &c. practising in Courts, are within 3 Months to take the Oaths at Quarter-Sessions, or one of the Courts at Westminster.

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In Default each forfeits 20 Pounds to the King.

Neglecting are disabled to execute any Offices or Employments, or to sue any Action, or to be a Guardian, Executor or Administrator, not capable of any Legacy, or voting for a Member of Parliament, and forfeits 500*l.* to be recover'd by Action of Debt,

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Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 13.

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&c. to the Person who
sues for the same.

(Reconciler and Reconciled.)

[Dnr] Aiders and
Maintainers of Per-
sons reconciling and
reconciled to the Ro-
mish Religion, if they
do not in 20 Days
discover the Recon-
ciling and Reconcil-
led to a Justice or
higher Officer.

Stat. 23 Eliz. c. 8.
Sect. 3.

Misprision of Treason.

Recusancy.

[Qu. Sect.] A Re-
cusant, who con-
forms, not receiving
the Sacrament with-
in a Year after, and
so once every Year
at least.

Stat.

For the first Year,
20*l.* for the second
40*l.* and every De-
fault after 60*l.* And
if after he hath re-
ceived it, he make
Default therein by
the Space of a Year,
60*l.*

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Stat. 3 Jac. 1. c. 4.
Sect. 3.

60*l.* to be divided
between the King
and the Prosecutor.

The Churchwardens
and Constables of e-
very Parish, or one
of them, or (if there
be none such, then)
the High Constable
of the Hundred there,
not presenting once
every Year at the
Quarter-Sessions, the
monthly Absence
from Church of e-
very Popish Recu-
sant and their Chil-
dren, being 9 Years
of Age, and their
Servants with the
Childrens Age, as
near as they can
know them.

Stat. 3 Jac. 1. c. 4.
Sect. 4.

20*s.* for every De-
fault. The Clerk of
the Peace to record
it on 40*s.* Penalty.
If upon such Pre-
sentment (being the
first) the Recusant
be convicted, the Of-
ficer who presents
him, shall have 40*s.*
to be levied on the
Recusant's Goods and
Estate, by Warrant,
as the Justices shall
think fit.

To cause Proclamation to be made, that
Popish Recusants shall render themselves to

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(Recusancy.)

the Sheriff, or Bailiff of the Liberty, where they are before the next Assise, Gaol-Delivery, or Sessions respectively. If they do not, the Default being recorded, shall be taken as a sufficient Conviction.

Stat. 3 Jac. 1. c. 4. Sect. 7.

Every Conviction of a Popish Recusant is, before the End of the Term next following, to be certified into the Exchequer, in such Certainty, that Process may issue.

Stat. 3 Jac. 1. c. 4. Sect. 9.

Note; No Indictment against a Recusant shall be reversed for Want of Form, other than by direct Traverse to the Point of not coming to Church, or not receiving the Sacrament.

Stat. 3 Jac. 1. c. 4. Sect. 16.

Reputed Papists.

[One] Justice of London, Westminster, and Southwark, and of the Counties of Middlesex, Surry, Kent and Sussex, to cause to be brought before him

Every such Person after Refusal to make and subscribe the same who shall continue to be within the said City or Cities, or within 10 Miles of the same,

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(Reputed Papists.)

him every Person (not being a Merchant Foreigner within the Cities of London and Westminster) or within 10 Miles of the same, as are reputed to be Papists, and under them the Declaration mentioned in the Stat. 30 Car. 2. intituled, *An Act for the more effectual preserving the King's Person and Government, &c.*

Stat. 1 W. & M. Sess. 1. c. 9. Sect. 1.

same, he or she shall forfeit or suffer as a *Popish Recusant* convicted.

Justices of *Essex* have likewise Jurisdiction by Stat. 1 W. & M. Sess. 1. c. 17. Sect. 1.

Offences. Parliament. Penalties.

[Two] **T**O administer the Oaths to Candidates to serve after the Determination of this present Parliament, for County, City, Borough, or Cinque Port in *England, Wales, or Berwick upon Tweed*. He who stands for the County, that he has 600*l.* *per Ann.* of or in Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, above Reprizes; and for a City, Borough, or Cinque Port, of 300*l.* *per Ann.* above Reprizes.

[Qu. Sess.] *Note*; The Act for more effectual preventing Bribery and Corruption in the Election of Members to serve in Parliament, is to be openly read every Year at the General Quarter-Sessions after *Easter*, in every County, &c.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 24. Sect. 11.

See Tit. Oath.

Partition of Lands.

[Three] **T**O be present at the Under-Sheriff's Executing a Writ of Partition, when the High Sheriffs, by Reason of Distance, Infirmary, or any other Hindrance, cannot be present.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 31. Sect. 4.

Partridge.

Offences. Perjury. Penalties.

Partridge. See Tit. Game.

Party-walls. See Tit. Fire.

Perjury.

[2. Sect.] ONE who commits wilful Perjury.
Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 9.
Sect. 4.

Forfeits 20*l*. and shall suffer 6 Months Imprisonment without Bail, and is disabled to give Evidence until the Judgment be reversed.

If he be not able to pay the Fine, to be set in the Pillory in the publick Market, and his Ears to be nailed.

Note; One Justice may bind the Offender over to Sessions.

Petition to King or Parliament.

[Three] MAY consent to, and order a Petition to the King or Parliament.

Stat. 13 Car. 2. c. 5. Sect. 2.

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Petition to King or Parliament.

Offences.

Penalties.

[*Qu. Sess.*] Labouring, or procuring the getting Hands, or other Consent, of above 20 Persons, to any Petition, &c. to the King, or either House of Parliament, for *Alteration in Church or State*, unless by Consent of three or more Justices, the Grand Jury at the Assises, or Sessions, and repairing to the King, to deliver such Petition with above ten Persons at once.

A Sum not exceeding 100*l.* and three Months Imprisonment.

Stat. 13 *Car.* 2. c. 5.
Sect. 2.

Pewter.

[*Qu. Sess.*] **A**T their *Michaelmas* Sessions, yearly to appoint Searchers of Brass and Pewter.

Stat. 19 *H.* 7. c. 6. Sect. 15.

Pheasants.

Offences. Physicians. Penalties.

Pheasants. See Tit. Game.

Physicians.

[One] **T**O assist the President, and all Persons authorised by the College of Physicians, for the due Execution of the several Acts of Parliament, which concern the said College.

Stat. 1 Mar. Parl. 1. Sess. 2. c. 9. Sect. 6.

Pigeon. See Tit. Game.

Pilchards.

<p>[One] Suspicious Persons, flocking together about the Boats, Nets, and Cellars, belonging to the <i>Pilchard Craft</i> upon the Coast of <i>Cornwall</i> and <i>Devon</i>, being warned to be gone, and refusing.</p>	<p>Five Shillings to the Poor, or to be set in the Stocks.</p>
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Offences.

Pilchards.

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Stat. 13 & 14 Car.
2. c. 28. Sect. 5.

Warning to be by the Company, or Owner of the Boats and Cellars.

Plague.

[One] **T**O command any Person infected with the Plague, residing in an infected House, not to go out; and if he does afterwards go out.

Stat. 1 Jac. 1. c. 31. Sect. 7.

If any Person being infected with the Plague, who has no Sore upon him, go abroad and converse in Company.

Stat. 1 Jac. 1. c. 31. Sect. 7.

[Two] The Mayor, Bailiffs, Head-Officers and Justices of Peace;

The Watchman may resist him; and if any Hurt happen thereupon, the Watchman shall not be impeached for the same.

To be openly whipped as a Vagabond, according to Stat 39 Eliz. c. 4.

To be levied by Distress and Sale; and upon Refusal, to

Offences.

Plague.

Penalties.

Peace ; and where there are none, two Justices of the County, may tax the Inhabitants towards Relief of such as have the Plague.

Stat. 1 Jac. 1. c. 51. Sect. 2.

to be committed till Payment.

These Taxes to be certified to the Quarter-Sessions.

Vide Quarentine.

Plaints. Vide Tit. County Courts.

Plays. Vide Tit. Magabonds.

Poor.

Badge.

[One] **E**Very Person receiving Relief of any Parish or Place, and the Wife and Children of any such Person, cohabiting in the same House (except one Child to attend an impotent and helpless

His or her Allowance to be abridged, or withdrawn, or to be committed to the House of Correction to be whipped, and kept to hard Labour, not exceeding 21 Days.

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(*Badge.*)

helpless Parent) refusing or neglecting to wear their *Badge*, in an open and visible Manner.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.
c. 30. Sect. 2.

Upon Complaint.

Churchwardens, or Overseers, relieving any such Poor, not having and wearing such *Badge*.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3.
c. 30. Sect. 2.

One, or more Witnesses.

Twenty Shillings to be levied by Distress and Sale.

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Boys bound to sea. Vide Apprentice.

Costs.

[One] Where *Costs* are given upon an Appeal, from an Order of Settlement of the Poor determined, or where Notice was given, and the Person, order'd to

The *Costs* to be levied by Warrant of one Justice of the County, where the Party dwells, who is to pay the *Costs*, by Distress and Sale; and for Want, to be committed

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to pay such Costs, dwells out of the Jurisdiction of the Court, which gave the Costs.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 30. Sect. 3.

Upon Request, and producing a true Copy of the Order for Costs, on Oath of one Witness.

mitted to the common Gaol for 20 Days.

Father, &c. to maintain poor Children.
[Qu. Sect.] Father, Grandfather, Mother, Grandmother, and Children of Poor who cannot work, to be assessed towards their Relief.

Stat. 43 Eliz. c. 2. Sect. 7.

Overseers.

[Two] The Churchwardens, and four, three or two Householders of every Parish (according to the Greatness of the Parish)

Justices neglecting to nominate, forfeit 5*l*.

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rish) to be nominated in *Easter Week*, or in a *Month* after, under their Hands and Seals, are *Overseers* of the Poor.

Stat. 43 Eliz. c. 2.
Sect. 1.

Quor. 1.

Overseers of the Poor, not meeting once a Month in the Church upon Sunday after Evening Prayer.

Stat. 43 Eliz. c. 2.
Sect. 2.

Quor. 1.

Twenty Shillings to the Use of the Poor, to be levied by Distress and Sale.

To allow of the *Overseers* Excuse, for not meeting once a Month, or not, as they see Cause.

Stat. 43 Eliz. c. 2. Sect. 2.

Quor. 1.

Overseers not accounting in 4 Days after the End of their Year.

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To be committed without Bail, till they account.

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May, upon Application, by Warrant or Order, authorise the Churchwardens or Overseers of the Poor, where any Wife, Child, &c. is left to the Parish, to seise so much of the Husband, Father or Mother's Goods, Chattels, Rents, &c. as may discharge the Parish, and provide for such Wife, Child, &c.

Stat. 5 Geo. 1. c. 8. Sect. 1.

[Qu. Sess.] If such Warrant of two Justices be confirmed at the next Sessions, the Sessions may order the Churchwardens or Overseers to sell the Goods, &c. or receive the Rents, &c. as shall be necessary to discharge the Parish, &c. And they to account at the Sessions for what Money they receive on such Warrant.

Stat. 5 Geo. 1. c. 8. Sect. 1 & 2.

Rates.

[Two] To consent to the setting poor People to work; to the raising by Taxation a convenient Stock to work upon; and also
Monies

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(Rates.)

Monies for relieving the Aged and Impotent, and putting forth Apprentices.

Stat. 43 Eliz. c. 2. Sect. 1.

Quor. 1.

Parson, and all Inhabitants who are able, are taxable to the Relief of the Poor.

Stat. 43 Eliz. c. 2. Sect. 1.

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Such Tax is to be levied by Distress and Sale of Goods, and in Default, to be committed without Bail, till it be discharged.

Where any Parish is not able to relieve themselves, may tax other Parishes and Places, and the Hundred, if need be.

Stat. 43 Eliz. c. 2. Sect. 3.

Quor. 1.

The Rates set upon every Parish, at Easter Sessions.

Stat. 43 Eliz. c. 2. Sect. 13.

Quor. 1.

To be levied by Distress and Sale, and Commitment, *ut supra.*

The Constable not paying the Monies rated at Easter Sessions,

Ten Shillings, to be levied by Distress and Sale of Goods, and

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Prisoners, to the High Constable.

Stat. 43 Eliz. c. 2.

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The High Constable not paying the Monies above mentioned to the Treasurers.

Stat. 43 Eliz. c. 2.

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and in Default, to be committed without Bail, till it be discharged.

Twenty Shillings, to be levied, *ut supra*.

[Qu. Off.] To tax every Parish in the County, not above 6d. or 8d. a Week for every Parish, towards Relief of Prisoners in the Common Gaol; to be levied by the Churchwardens, and paid to the High Constables, and the High Constables to pay it to the Collector appointed by the Justices, upon the Penalty of 5l. a-piece.

Stat. 14 Eliz. c. 5. Sect. 2.

To provide a Stock to set poor Prisoners committed for Felony, and other Misdemeanours, to work, in such Manner as other County-Charges are levied; and to appoint Overseers, and order their Accounts, and punish Abuses. No Parish to be rated above 6d. a Week.

Stat. 19 Car. 2. c. 4. Sect. 1.

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(Rates.)

Where the whole Hundred is not able to relieve their Poor, the Justices, in Sessions may tax the County in Part, or in Whole, at their Discretions.

Stat. 43 *Eliz. c. 2.* Sect. 3.

At *Easter* Sessions, yearly, to rate every Parish at a certain Sum, to be paid weekly: No Parish to pay more than 6*d.* nor less than a Halfpenny, towards Relief of poor Prisoners in the *Queen's Bench, Marshalsea, Hospitals,* and *Alms-houses* in their Jurisdictions, every one respectively, to receive out of every County 20*s.* yearly.

Stat. 43 *Eliz. c. 2.* Sect. 14.

(Refusing to work.)

[Two] Such Persons as refuse to work.

Stat. 43 *Eliz. c. 2.*

Sect. 4.

Quor. 1.

To be sent to the House of Correction.

One Justice may do this, as well as two.

(Registering Notice.)

[One] Churchwardens and Overseers, refusing to register Notice of poor Persons coming into a Parish, and not reading

Forty Shillings, to be levied by Distress and Sale; and for Want to be committed for a Month.

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ing, or causing to be
read such Notice.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. &
M. c. 11. Sect. 5.

Two Witnesses,
upon Oath.

Relief and Settlement, &c.

[One] No Justice to order *Relief* to a poor Person, before Oath made before him of a reasonable Cause for it, and that the Party had apply'd to the Parishioners at a Vestry or to two Overseers, and was by them refused to be reliev'd; nor till he has summoned the two Overseers to shew Cause why the Party should not be relieved, and the Person summoned heard, or made Default to appear.

Stat. 9 Geo. I. c. 7. Sect. 1.

Persons ordered to be relieved by such Justice, are to be registred in the Parish-Books as other Poor, only as long as the Cause for Relief continues, and no longer.

Ibid. Sect. 2.

Two or more Parishes (if small) may with Approbation of *one Justice*, under his Hand and Seal, unite in hiring a House,
&c.

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(Relief and Settlement.)

&c. for lodging, employing, and maintaining their Poor; and the Churchwardens, &c. of one Parish may contract with those of other Parishes for such Lodging, Maintenance, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 4. *Vide infra.*

[Two] No Officer of any Parish (except on emergent Occasions) shall bring to the Parish Account, any Money he shall give to any Poor not registred, *ut supra.*

Ibid. Sect. 2.

5*l.* to the Poor Use, leviable by Distress, &c. by Warrant of two Justices after Examination, &c.

Note; By the said Stat. Churchwardens and Overseers of any Parish or Place, may, with Consent of the major Part of the Inhabitants at a Vestry or Meeting, purchase or hire any House or Houses in such Parish or Place, and contract with Persons for lodging, keeping, or employing the Poor, who are to have the Benefit of their Work and Labour for their better Maintenance. *Ibid.* Sect. 4.

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<p>A poor Person refusing to be lodged or kept in such House.</p>	<p>To be struck out of the Parish Books, and have no Relief.</p>
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Ibid. Sect. 4.

[Settlem.] But no Poor, or their Children, Apprentices, &c. to gain any Settlement in the Parish or Place to which they are removed by Virtue of this Act. *Ibid.* Sect. 4.

None to acquire a Settlement in any Parish by Reason of any Purchase therein, where the Consideration does not amount to 50 l. for any longer than he dwells in the Estate purchased; but shall be liable to a Removal to the Place where last Settled. *Ibid.* Sect. 5.

And Persons taxed to the Scavenger's Rates, or Repairs of Highways, and paying the same, gain not thereby any Settlement. *Ibid.* Sect. 6.

[Qu. Sect.] No Appeal from any Order for Removal, shall be proceeded on in any Court or Quarter-Sessions, unless reasonable Notice be given by the Churchwardens, or Overseers making the Appeal to the Churchwardens, &c. from whence such

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Poor are to be removed; and if due Notice be not given, the Justices shall adjourn the Appeal to the next Quarter-Sessions, and then finally determine it. *Ibid.* Sect. 8.

If the Appeal be determined in Favour of the Appellants, the Quarter-Sessions are to order the Money expended for Relief of the poor Person, between the Time of his Removal and the Determination of the Appeal, to be paid to the Appellants; recoverable as prescribed by the Act of 9 W. 3. (which see before). *Ibid.* Sect. 9.

Setting them to work.

[One] Where there is but one Justice of the Peace, he may consent to the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poors setting up, using and occupying any Trade, Mystery, or Occupation, only for the setting on Work, and better Relief of the Poor of the Parish where they bear Office.

Stat. 3 Car. 1. c. 4. Sect. 22.

Settlement and Removal.

[One] Complaint is to be made to one Justice, by the Churchwardens or Overseers of the Poor, within 40 Days, of Persons likely to become chargeable to the Parish, who

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who come to settle in a Tenement under 10*l.* per Ann.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 12. Sect. 1.

Note; the Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 12. is now made perpetual by 12 Ann. Sess. 1. c. 18. Sect. 1.

Persons returning to the Parish whence they were removed.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 12. Sect. 3.

Churchwardens or Overseers refusing to receive any Person removed, and to provide for them.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 12. Sect. 3.

Churchwardens or Overseers, refusing to receive any Person removed by two Justices.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 11. Sect. 10.

Two

To be sent to the House of Correction.

To be bound to the Assises or Sessions, to be indicted for their Contempt.

Five Pounds for the Poor of the Parish, from which he shall be removed, to be levied by Distress and Sale: For Want, to be committed for 40 Days. The War-rant,

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Two Witnesses upon Oath.

rant, by the Justice of the Place to which the Removal is directed,* to the Constable where the Offender dwells.

[**Utro**] Where any Poor comes to settle in any Tenement under 10*l.* *per Ann.* they may remove such Person, who is likely to be chargeable, to such Parish where he or they were last legally settled, either as a Native, Householder, Sojourner, Apprentice, or Servant, for the Space of 40 Days at least, unless Security be given to discharge the Parish, to be allowed by the Justices. An Appeal lies to the next Quarter-Sessions.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 12. Sect. 1, 2.

————— 1 Jac. 2. c. 17. Sect. 3.

————— 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 11. Sect. 3.

————— 12 Ann. Sess. 1. c. 18. Sect. :

Quor. 1.

To allow Certificates under the Hands and Seals of the Churchwardens or Overseers of the Poor, attested by two or more Witnesses, owning the Person mentioned in the Certificate to be an Inhabitant legally settled,

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settled, which Certificate is not good without their Allowance.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 30. Sect. 1.

But if the Person who hath such Certificate, rents 10*l.* per *Ann.* or bears an Office in any other Parish afterwards, that will gain a Settlement in that Parish, notwithstanding such Certificate.

Stat. 9 & 10 W. 3. c. 11. Sect. 1.

And *Note* ; Persons removing to other Parishes by Virtue of such Certificates, and taking Apprentices, or hiring Servants there, such Apprentices or Servants do not thereby acquire any legal Settlement in such Parishes.

Stat. 12 *Ann.* Sect. 1. c. 18. Sect. 2.

[*Qu. Sess.*] Upon an Appeal concerning the Settlement of the Poor, or upon Proof of Notice given of an Appeal (though the Appeal was not afterwards prosecuted) to award reasonable Costs to the Party, for whom such Notice had been given.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 30. Sect. 3.

Appeals against an Order for the Removal of poor Persons, to be heard and determined at the Quarter-Sessions in the

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County where the Place is, from whence such Person is removed, and not elsewhere.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 30. Sect. 6.

See this Statute explained by 12 Ann. Sess. 1. c. 18. ante.

Post and Postmaster.

[One] **N**O Person or Persons after the 1 June 1711. shall be capable of having, using or exercising the Office of *Postmaster General*, or any Part thereof, or any other Employment relating to the Post-Office, or any Branch thereof, or be any Way concerned in receiving, sorting, or delivering Letters or Packets, unless such Person shall have taken the following Oath before one Justice for the County or Place where such Person resides.

I A. B. do swear, That I will not wittingly, willingly, or knowingly open, detain, or delay, or cause, procure, permit or suffer to be opened, detained, or delay'd, any Letter or Letters, Packet or Packets, which shall come into my Hands, Power, or Custody, by Reason of my Employment in or relating to the Post Office, except by the Consent of the Person or Persons to whom the same is or shall be directed, or by an express Warrant in Writing under the Hand of one of the Principal Secretaries of State for that Purpose; or except

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in such Cases where the Party or Parties to whom such Letter or Letters, Packet or Packets shall be directed, or who is or are chargeable with the Payment of the Port or Ports thereof, shall refuse or neglect to pay the same. And except such Letters or Packets as shall be returned for Want of true Directions, or when the Party or Parties to whom the same is or shall be directed, cannot be found. And that I will not any Way imbezil any such Letter or Letters, Packet or Packets as aforesaid.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 10. Sect. 41.

[Two] Postmaster General, or any other Officer relating to the Post-Office, not taking the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy before two Justices of the County, where they are resident.

Not capable to hold.

Stat. 12 Car. 2. c. 35. Sect. 13.

All Sums not exceeding 5*l*. due for Postage of Letters, to be recovered before them in the same Manner, and under the same Rates, as small Tithes are. See Tit. Q. 4. Tithes,

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Tithes, where you will see how small *Tithes*
 are to be recovered.

Stat. 9 *Ann. c. 10. Sect. 30.*

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 mentioned in the
 Stat. 9 *Ann. c. 10.*

Stat. 6 *Geo. I. c. 21.*
 Sect 50.

To be recovered
 as small *Tithes* are
 by 7 & 8 *W. 3. c. 6.*

Preachers.

[One] **A** Disturb-
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Offences. **Preachers.** *Penalties.*

Stat. 1 Mar. Sess.
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Vide 10 Ann. c. 7.

[The] Disturbers of
Preachers lawfully
licensed.

Stat. 1 Mar. Sess.
2. c. 3. Sect. 6.

Vide Tit. Church,
touching Preachers
in Scotland.

In six Days after
Commitment by a
single Justice, he and
one other are to ex-
amine the Fact, and
if they find Cause,
to commit him to
the common Gaol for
3 Months, and thence
to the next Quarter-
Sessions.

[Qu. Sess.] If a Disturber of a Preacher
lawfully licensed, who has been committed
to the County-Gaol by two Justices, shall
at the Sessions be reconciled, and enter in-
to Bond for his Good Behaviour for a Year,
he shall be discharged; but if he persists
in his Obstinacy, he is to be committed with-
out Bail, till he be reconciled, and be pen-
itent for his Offence.

Stat. 1 Mar. Sess. 2. c. 3. Sect. 6.

He that rescues a
Disturber of a licen-
sed Preacher.

Stat. 1 Mar. Sess.
2. c. 3. Sect. 7.

To be imprisoned
and fined 5*l*.

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The Inhabitants of a Town, who suffer a Disturber of a li- censed Preacher to escape.		Five Pounds.
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Stat. 1 <i>Mar.</i> Sess. 2. c. 3. Sect. 8.		
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Prison. See Gaol.

Prisoners. See Tir. Rates, and Tir. Rate
or Tax in Tir. Poor.

Process.

[Onr] **T**O commit to the County Gaol,
without Bail or Mainprize,
till the next Assises, Sessions of Oyer and
Terminer, and general Gaol Delivery, Per-
sons opposing or resisting any Officer, or
Officers, or any aiding and assisting in the
Execution of any Process in *White-Fryers*,
Savoy, *Salisbury-Court*, *Ram-Alley*, *Mitre-
Court*, *Fuller's Rents*, *Baldwin's Gardens*, *Moun-
tague-Close*, or the *Minories*, *Mint*, *Clink*, or
Deadman's Place.

Stat. 8 & 9 *W. 3.* c. 27. Sect. 15.

Offences. **Prophecies.** *Penalties.*

[*Q. S.*] **P**UBLISHER or
 Setter forth of any
 fantastical, or false
 Prophecy, with an
 Intent to raise Sedi-
 tion.

Stat. 5 *Eliz. c.* 15.
 Sect. 2, 3.

The Prosecution to
 be within six Months.

First Offence 10*l.*
 and one Year's Impri-
 sonment.

Second, forfeits all
 his Goods, and Im-
 prisonment during his
 Life.

The Forfeitures to
 be divided between
 the Queen and the
 Prosecutor.

Purveyors.

[*One*] **P**ERSONS
 making
 Purveyance, or im-
 pressing Carriages, or
 other Things, by Co-
 lour of any Warrant
 under the Great Seal,
 or otherwise.

Stat. 12 *Car. 2. c.*
 24. Sect. 16.

At the Request of
 the Party grieved.

To be committed
 to Gaol till next Ses-
 sions.

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Offences. Purveyors. Penalties.

<p>[Two] Purveyor, Badger, &c. bargaining for any Viſtual or Grain, in the Markets of Oxford or Cambridge, or in five Miles of them.</p> <p>Stat. 2 & 3 P. & M. c. 15. Sect. 2.</p> <p>— 13 Eliz. c. 21.</p>	<p>Quadruple the Value thereof, and three Months Imprisonment without Bail.</p> <p>Except when the Queen is there, or within seven Miles.</p>
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Quakers.

[One] **I**Nstead of the Declaration of Fidelity appointed to be made and subscribed by *Quakers*, by 1 W. & M. c. 18. they are to make and subscribe the Declaration of Fidelity, mentioned in 8 Geo. 1. c. 6.

And instead of the solemn Affirmation or Declaration prescribed by 7 & 8 W. 3. c. 34. they are to make the solemn Declaration or Affirmation following :

I A. B. do solemnly, sincerely, and truly declare and affirm.

And instead of the Form prescribed by 1 W. & M. c. 18. for the Effect of the Abjuration Oath, they are to take that mentioned in 8 Geo. 1. c. 6.

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Note ; All Persons authorised to administer or tender either the said former Declaration, or the said solemn Affirmation or Declaration, or the said Effect of the Abjuration-Oath aforesaid, are authorised and required to administer and tender the same respectively to *Quakers* in the Words appointed by the Stat. 8 Geo. 1. c. 6. Sect. 4.

If any *Quaker* making such Affirmation or Declaration, shall be lawfully convicted of wilfully, falsely and corruptly affirming or declaring any Matter or Thing, which, if sworn in the common or usual Form, would have amounted to wilful and corrupt Perjury.

8 Geo. 1. c. 6. Sect. 5.

Offender to suffer such and the same Pains, Penalties and Forfeitures as are against Persons convicted of wilful and corrupt Perjury.

Note ; Quakers or reputed Quakers are disabled to give Evidence in any criminal Cause, to serve on a Jury, or bear Office or Place in the Government, by 7 & 8 W. 3. c. 34. And 8 Geo. 1. c. 6. Sect. 6.

Vide

Offences. Quarantine. Penalties.

Vide Tit. Oath, and Tit. Oath of Allegiance, in Tit. Papists and Popish Superstition, and Tit. Oathes.

Quarantine.

[One] **C**ommander, Master, or other Person having Charge of any Ship or Vessel, coming from any Place visited with the Plague, or having any Person on Board actually infected, not discovering the same, such Commander, &c. are

Stat. 7 Geo. I. c. 3.
Sess. 1. Sect. 2.

Persons not infected nor liable to *Quarantine*, who shall enter any Ship, &c. so appointed, *ut supra*, whilst any Person infected or under *Quarantine* shall be therein,

Guilty of Felony, without Benefit of Clergy.

Felony, *ut supra*.

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in, are not to return without a proper Licence, but must perform their *Quarentine*: And if such Person shall actually escape, before they have fully performed their *Quarentine*.

Stat. 7 Geo. I. c. 3.
Sess. 1. Sect. 8.

Watchmen appointed by Order of two Justices, when any Town, &c. is infected, neglecting or refusing to keep such Watch, or to procure some able and sufficient Person in his Stead.

One or more credible Witnesses.

Ibid. Sect. 10.

Watchmen appointed, *ut supra*, who shall

Forfeit any Sum not exceeding 100*l.* nor less than 10*l.*

One Moiety to the Informer, the other to the Poor where Offence committed.

To be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods.

And to be committed to Prison without Bail or Mainprize for 2 Months, and till Payment of the Sum adjudged.

Liable to the same Penalties, *ut supra*.

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shall be Guilty of
any Breach or Neg-
lect of their Duty.

Ibid. Sect. 10.

Upon the Oaths of the Master or Person having the Charge of any Ship obliged to perform *Quarentine*, and of two of the Persons belonging to such Ship or Vessel; or two credible Witnesses, that such Ship, &c. and all and every Person and Persons have duly perform'd *Quarentine*, and are free from Infection: To give a Certificate thereof; after which such Ship, &c. are liable to no farther Restraint.

Ibid. Sect. 14.

Note; In any Inland Place the Certificate must be signed by two Justices.

No more than one Shilling is to be taken for the Oath and Certificate over and above the Stamp-Duty.

Ibid. Sect. 15 & 17.

All small Boats and Vessels under the Burden of 20 Tuns prohibited by his

One Forfeiture of one hundred Pounds. One Moiety to his Majesty: The other to him that sues for the same.

The Boat or Vessel, for which such Security shall be required by Proclamation,

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his Majesty's Proclamation from sailing or passing out of any Port or Place of Great Britain, &c. in Time of Infection, till Security be given in 500*l.* with Sureties, as directed by this Act, by Bond, with Condition, *That if such Boat or Vessel shall not go to, or touch at any Country, Port, or Place to be mentioned for that Purpose in such Proclamation.* And if the Master or other Person, having Charge of such Boat, &c. or any Mariner or Passenger shall, during the Time of Infection, go on Board any other Ship or Vessel at Sea, or permit, or suffer any Person to come on Board such Boat or Vessel at Sea, or shall receive any Goods or Merchandise whatsoever,

tion, which shall sail before such Security be given, is forfeited together with Tackle, Apparel, &c. to the King, and may be seised, sued for, and recovered in his Majesty's Exchequer.

The Master and Mariner of such Boat or Vessel being thereof convicted on the Oath of one or more credible Witnesses, forfeits 50 Pounds.

One Moiety to the Informer, the other to the Poor of the Parish where such Offender shall be found.

To be levied by Distress, &c. And for Want of sufficient Distress, to be committed to Prison without Bail, for three Months.

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soever, out of any other Ship or Vessel.

Ibid. Sect. 18.

Persons receiving or buying any Goods, Wares, or Merchandises, clandestinely run or imported contrary to Law, before the same shall be condemned, knowing the same to be clandestinely run or imported.

One or more credible Witnesses.

Ibid. Sect. 19.

Forfeit 10 l. One Moiety to the Informer, the other to the Poor of the Parish, where Offence committed.

To be levied, *ut supra*. For Want of Distress to be committed, *ut supra*.

Vide Smuglers or Runners of Foreign Goods.

Officer and Person appointed to see *Quarentine* duly performed; or Watchman, knowingly and willingly permitting or suffering any Person, Ship, Goods or Merchandise to depart, or be

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be conveyed out of any Town, &c. infected, unless in such Cases, and by such proper Licences, as shall be directed or permitted by Orders notified by Proclamation.

Ibid. Sect. 24.

Persons aggrieved by any Judgment of any Justice or Justices for any Offence against the Act 7 Geo. 1. c. 3. may appeal to Qu. Sess. who are finally to determine the same.

[Two] His Majesty may order Ships to be provided, or cause Houses or Lazarets to be erected for the receiving and entertaining of Persons infected with the Plague, or obliged to perform *Quarentine*, and also Sheds, Tents, and other Places proper for the depositing, opening and airing of Goods and Merchandises to continue for such Term, as his Majesty shall think proper, in convenient Places within *Great Britain* and *Ireland* to be allowed and appointed by two or more Justices of the Peace for the County, &c. living near thereunto under their Hands and Seals, either in waste Grounds

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Grounds or Commons; or where such waste Grounds or Commons are not sufficient, in any other Grounds, not being a House, Park, Garden, Orchard, Yard, planted Walk or Avenue to a House, paying such Rate, Rent or Consideration for the same, as shall be agreed between the Persons interested, their Guardians or Trustees, and any two Persons appointed by his Majesty under his Sign Manual.

Ibid. Sect. 5.

Next Justices, when any Town or Place shall be infected with the Plague, or Lines and Trenches shall be made, &c. to order such sufficient Watches by Day and Night upon such Town, &c. as they shall think fit. And upon such Houses, Lazarets, Ships, or other Places, for performing *Quarentine*; who shall not permit or suffer any Person, Ship, &c. to depart or be conveyed out of such Town, &c. so appointed for performing *Quarentine*, without a Licence.

Ibid. Sect. 10.

[Qu. Sect.] To adjudge, determine, assess, and settle Differences, concerning such Rate, Rent, or Consideration between Persons interested and the Persons appointed by his Majesty for Grounds, where the Waste or Common is not sufficient; and their

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their Judgment and Determination is final.

Ibid. Sect. 5.

All Watches directed by Virtue of this Act, are to be maintained at the County Charge or Riding, and the Money is to be raised as for County Gaols and Bridges. To be paid to the Chief Constable of each Division, who is to distribute it according to the Order of Sessions.

Ibid. Sect. 23.

Persons aggrieved by any Judgment of any Justice or Justices, for Offences against this Act, may appeal to Qu. Sess. who are finally to determine the same. See also the Statutes 11 Geo. 1. c. and 1 Geo. 2. c. 17. whereby some further Provision is made for performing Quarentine.

Queen's Bench. *Vide Rates,* in Tit. Poor.

Reconciled to the Church of Rome, and Relists. See Tit. Papists.

Recusancy.

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[One] IF the Minister, Petty Constables, or Churchwardens of any Parish, or any two, complain of any Person (under the Peerage) suspected for Recusancy.

Stat. 7 Jac. 1. c. 6. Sect. 26.

[Two] To summon and convene before them all such Persons within their Jurisdiction, &c. suspected to be dangerous, or disaffected to the Government, and tender the Oath of Abjuration.

Upon Refusal.

Stat. 6 Ann. c. 14. Sect. 7.

Quor. 1.

To tender the Oath of Allegiance, and upon Refusal, to commit till next Assize or Sessions, where if he refuseth again, he incurs a *Præmunire*: But Feme Coverts shall be imprisoned only, to remain there, till they take the Oath,

To certify the Christian Name, Surname, and Place of Abode to the next Quarter Sessions, if he takes it not next Term, or Sessions after Certificate, is a Popish Recusant Convict.

Vide Recusancy, in Tit. Papists.

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Riots and Rioters.

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Persons are Riotous-
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to their lawful Bu-
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Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 5.
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lony without Clergy.

The Form of the Proclamation.

OUR Sovereign Lord the King chargeth
and commandeth all Persons, being as-
sembled, immediately to disperse themselves, and
peaceably to depart to their Habitations, or to
their lawful Business, upon the Pains contained in
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*the Act made in the First Year of King George I.
for preventing Tumults and riotous Assemblies.*

God save the King.

Every Justice within his Jurisdiction is required, on Notice or Knowledge of any riotous and tumultuous Assembly, to resort to the Place, and there to make or cause to be made Proclamation in Manner aforesaid.

1 Geo. 1. c. 5. Sect. 2.

Rioters demolishing, or pulling down, or beginning to demolish or pull down any Church or Chapel, or any Building for religious Worship, certified and registred according to the Stat. 1 W. & M. c. 18. or any Dwelling house, Barn, Stable, or other Out-house.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 5. Sect. 4.

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Person beginning to make Proclamation, whereby such Proclamation shall not be made; and the Rioters, to whom it should have been made, if not hindered, not dispersing themselves, but continuing together an Hour after such Let or Hindrance.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 5. Sect. 5.

The Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 5. against Rioters to be read openly at every Quarter-Sessions. Sect. 7.

Note; All Prosecutions upon the Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 5. to be commenced in twelve Months. Sect. 8.

[Two] With the Sheriff or Under-Sheriff, shall by the Power of the County, suppress Riots, Routs, and unlawful Assemblies, upon View to record it, commit the Offenders, and return the Record into the King's Bench, by which they shall be convicted: If the Offenders be gone, Enquiry to be

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be made in a Month, and the Matter determined according to Law. The Penalty of not doing this, 100 Pounds.

Stat. 13 H. 4. c. 7. Sect. 4.

Riots, &c. shall be suppress'd and enquired of, at the King's Charge, which the Sheriff is to disburse, by Indenture, between the Justices and him.

Stat. 2 H. 5. c. 8. Sect. 2.

Persons guilty of heinous Riots. Stat. 2 H. 5. c. 8. Sect. 2.		One Year's Imprisonment, without Bail.
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Together with the Sheriff, under their Hands and Seals to certify a Riot to the Lord Chancellor, to the End he may send out a *Capias* against the Rioters.

Stat. 2 H. 5. c. 9. Sect. 2.

To testify, That the common Fame runs in the same County of the same Riot, before a *Capias* shall be awarded, upon 2 H. 5. c. 9.

Stat. 8 H. 6. c. 14. Sect. 2.

If a Riot, &c. by Maintenance, or Em- bracery		They, with the Sheriff, or Under- Sheriff,
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bracery of the Jurors, be not found.

Stat. 19 H. 7. c. 13.
Sect. 11.

Sheriff, are to certify the Names of such Maintainers, and Embracers, which shall be a Conviction; and they shall forfeit 20 l. a-piece, and to remain in Prison, at the Discretion of the Justices.

Robberies.

[One] **T**O take the Oath of the Person robbed, whether he knows the Persons who robbed him, or any of them; and if he knows any of them, he is to enter into a sufficient Bond to prosecute the Person, or Persons, so by him known, by Indictment, or otherwise, according to Law.

Stat. 27 Eliz. c. 13. Sect. 11.

[Two] Two Justices dwelling within, or near the Hundred, where the Robbery is committed, shall set a Tax upon every Parish within the Hundred, for the Payment of the Money, whereof the Party is robbed.

Stat. 27 Eliz. c. 13. Sect. 5.

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Rockets.

Offences. Runaways. Penalties.

Rockets. Vide Squibs.

Rogues. See Tit. Magabonds.

Runaways.

[Two] **P**ersons running away and leaving their Charge to the Parish.

Stat. 7 Jac. 1. c. 4.
Sect. 8.

Vide Stat. 12 Ann.
Sess. 2. c. 4.

Persons, who threaten to run away, and leave their Charge to the Parish.

Stat. 7 Jac. 1. c. 4.
Sect. 8.

Vide 12 Ann. Sess.
2. c. 23.

To be punished as incorrigible Rogues

To be sent to the House of Correction, there to be punished as sturdy Rogues (unless they put in sufficient Sureties to discharge the Parish) and not to be delivered, but at a Meeting of the Justices, or in open Sessions.

Vide Tit. Magabonds.

Runners

Sacrament.

Runners of Foreign Goods. Vide
Smuglers.

Sacrament.

Three **T**O take Informations, upon Oath, of two lawful Persons at least, against any Person, who shall speak or do any Thing in Contempt of the most Holy Sacrament; and to bind over by Recognisance, every Accuser and Witness in five Pounds a-piecc, to appear at the next Sessions, and prosecute.

Stat. 1 Ed. 6. c. 1. Sect. 1.

To send out two Writs, *Capias Exigend'* and *Capias Utlegat'*, against Contemnners of the Holy Sacrament, in all Counties and Liberties; and upon their Appearance to fine and imprison them, or to take Bail for their Appearance, to be tried at Sessions.

Stat. 1 Ed. 6. c. 1. Sect. 3.

To direct a Writ in the King's Name to the Bishop of the Diocese, where the Contemner of the Sacrament committed the Offence, by which Writ he shall be required to present himself (or some for him sufficiently learned) at the Arraignment of

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the Offender, to give Advice concerning the Offence committed.

Stat. 1 Ed. 6. c. 1. Sect. 4.

Sadlers. Vide Shoemakers.

Salt.

[Dnt] **O**wners of Salt seized, not making it appear before the next Justice, within ten Days after Seizure, by the Oath of one or more Witnesses, That the Salt was duly enter'd, and that there was a Warrant for carrying away the same.

Stat. 5 & 6 W. & M. c. 7. Sect. 7.

Salt not measured by a Bushel of eight Gallons *Winchester* Measure, by six Measurers, sworn and admitted by a Justice without Fee.

Stat.

The Salt shall be forfeited, one Moiety to the King, the other to him who seized, and the Owner shall forfeit double the Value.

Double the Value of the Salt so measured.

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Salt:

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Stat. 5 & 6 W. & M. c. 7. Sect. 18.

To take the *Affidavit* of the Quantity of *Rak-Salt*, melted and refined.

Stat. 5 & 6 W. & M. c. 7. Sect. 26.

Persons removing or conveying any *Salt* from any Salt-Works, or Place thereunto belonging, without due Entry of the same, and Payment, or Security, or without Warrant, Ticket, or Licence, for removing the same.

Stat. 1 Ann. Sect. 1. c. 21. Sect. 4.

Due Proof.

Persons hindring or obstructing any Officer, or Officers, for the Salt-Duties, in the Execution of his or their Offices, or shall beat or abuse them.

Stat.

To be seised, and if not able to pay the Penalties, and no sufficient Distress, to be committed to the House of Correction, to be whipp'd, and kept to hard Labour, not exceeding one Month.

Twenty Pounds; and for Non-payment, and in Default of Distress, to be committed to the House of Correction, to be whip'd and kept to hard Labour, not exceeding a Month.

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Stat. 1 *Ann.* Sess.
1. c. 21. Sect. 4.

Due Proof.

No Salt to be brought out of *Scotland* by Land.

Stat. 2 & 3 *Ann.* c. 14. Sect. 7.

[The] Officer having due Notice, and neglecting or refusing to attend Weighing Salt, which is enter'd, to be put on Board any Ship or Vessel, or carried by Land, and the Duty paid, or secur'd, and all other Monies due on Account of Salt delivered.

Stat. 9 & 10 *W.* 3. c. 6. Sect. 3.

Party to be summoned.

Confession, or two Witnesses.

Every

The Salt forfeited, and 20s. a Bushel; and if not paid, to be committed to the next Gaol, for six Months, without Bail or Mainprize.

Forty Shillings, to the Informer.

To be levied by Distress and Sale, unless redeemed in six Days; and for Want of Distress, Imprisonment, till Satisfaction be made.

An Appeal lies to the Quarter-Sessions.

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Every Maker or Curer of White Herrings in that Part of Great Britain, called England, Wales, and Berwick upon Tweed, before he remove any White Herrings (except for Exportation) from the Office or Place where cured, must enter them at the next Salt-Office, and pay the Duty. And the Quantity must be marked on the Cask, and upon the Entry and Payment of the Duty the Salt-Officer to give a Permit.

Stat. 8 Geo. I. c. 16.
Sect. 2.

[Three] Badger, Retailer, or other Person, making, or dealing in Salt, or buying Salt to sell again, otherwise than by Weight, after the Rate of 56 Pounds Weight.

The White Herrings remov'd or carried away before Entry and Duty paid or Cask marked, forfeited; and 40 Shillings for every Cask or Vessel removed.

One Moiety to his Majesty, the other to the Officer, who shall seise the same.

To be recovered, levied, and mitigated in such Manner, as Penalties by any Law of Excise are recoverable.

Five Pounds to the Informer, to be levied by Distress and Sale, unless redeemed in 6 Days; and for Want of Distress, Imprisonment, till Satisfaction be made.

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Weight to the Bushel.

Stat. 9 & 10 W. 3.
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or two Witnesses.An Appeal lies to
the Quarter-Sessions.

[Qu. Sess.] To certify the Proof of Salt
taken by the Enemy, or perished at Sea,
in order for the Owners to have the Duty
repaid, or Security delivered up.

Stat. 12 Ann. Sess. 2. c. 2. Sect. 7.

Scavenger. See Westminster.

[Dne] **H**ouse-keepers in the County of *Middlesex*, and City of *Westminster*, which are within the *Weekly Bills of Mortality*, and in *Kensington* not sweeping the Streets before their Houses, on *Wednesdays* and *Saturdays*.

Stat. 2 W. & M. c.
8. Sect. 2

View,

Three Shillings
and Four-pence a
Day, to be levied by
Distress and Sale; if
not paid within six
Days, to be committed
till Payment.

This Penalty enlarged to 10s. by Statute 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 37.

To be employed,
if upon Conviction
by the Evidence, one
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or one Witness.

the other to the In-
former. If upon View,
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Poor, the other to
the Repair of the
Highways.

Persons laying or
suffering to be laid
any Sea-coal Ashes,
Dust, Dirt, &c. in
any open Street,
Lane, or Alley, be-
fore their own Hou-
ses, or any publick
Places.

Stat. 2 W. & M. c.
8. Sect. 2.

View, Confession,
or one Witness.

Persons laying any
Ashes, Dirt, or Soil,
before the Houses or
Walls of Inhabitants,
or any Churchyard-
Wall, or the Queen's
Palace; or throwing,
or causing to be
thrown into any
common Sewer, or
Highway, or any pri-
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Five Shillings, to
be levied and em-
ployed, *ut supra*.

Twenty Shillings,
to be levied, and em-
ployed, *ut supra*.

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vate Vault, any noisome Thing whatsoever.

Stat. 2 W. & M.
c. 8. Sect. 2.

Conviction, *ut supra*.

The respective Churchwardens, and the Housekeepers, and other Keepers of *Whitehall, Somerset-house, St. James's house and Park*, the Guard-houses, and Stables, &c. the Ushers, Porters, or Keepers of Courts of Justice. *Ibid.*

Persons hooping, washing, or cleansing any Vessels in Streets, Lanes, or open Passages; or setting any Dung, Soil, Rubbish, or empty Coaches to make or mend, or rough Timber, or Stones to be sawn or wrought. Stat.

To suffer the like Penalties for the like Offences, and to be levied and employ'd, *ut supra*.

Twenty Shillings for every Offence, to be levied and employed, *ut supra*.

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Stat. 2 W. & M.
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Conviction, *ut supra*.

Rakers, Scavengers, &c. not bringing Carts, and by a Bell, or otherwise, giving Notice of their Coming, and not daily (except Sundays and Holidays) carrying away the Dirt, Dust, &c.

Stat. 2 W. & M. c.
8. Sect. 5.
Conviction, *ut supra*.

Inhabitants, and Owners of Houses unoccupied, not *passing the Streets*, before their Doors.

Stat. 2 W. & M.
c. 8. Sect. 8.
Conviction, *ut supra*.

Owners and Inhabitants of Houses new

Forty Shillings for every Offence, to be levied and employ'd, *ut supra*.

Twenty Shillings a Rod or Perch for every Default, and twenty Shillings a Week, till amended; to be levied and employed, *ut supra*.

Forty Shillings for every Perch, and the like

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new built, not paving or otherwise amending the Ground before their Houses and Buildings.

Stat. 2 W. & M. c. 8. Sect. 7.

Conviction, *ut supra*.

Scavengers duly chosen, and refusing.

Stat. 2 W. & M. c. 8. Sect. 9.

Conviction, *ut supra*.

like for every Week, till amended; to be levied and employed, *ut supra*.

Ten Pounds, to be levied, *ut supra*, and employed in Mending and Repairing the Highways and Streets of the same Parish.

[Two] Scavengers Tax to be made, after a Pound-Rate, by Constables, &c. and other ancient Inhabitants, for a Year, to be allowed by two Justices, payable Quarterly; and in Case of Refusal to be levied by Distress and Sale; and for Want of Distress, to be imprison'd till Payment.

Stat. 2 W. & M. c. 8. Sect. 2. Sect. 10.

Scavengers refusing to account within 28 Days after the Election of new Scavengers.

Stat.

To be committed till they account, and pay over the Money in their Hands to the new Scavengers.

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Stat. 2 *W. & M.* |
c. S. Sess. 2. Sect. 11. |

To appoint vacant Places, near the Streets, for the Scavengers, to lay the Dirt, &c. in giving Satisfaction to the Owners, and in Case of unreasonable Demand, to moderate the Price.

Stat. 2 *W. & M.* c. S. Sect. 12.

Note; If any Conviction upon the Stat. 2 *W. & M.* c. 8. or on the Stat. 8 & 9 *W.* 3. c. 37. shall be by View or Knowledge of a Justice of Peace, then one Half of the Penalty shall be to the Poor, the other towards Repairing Highways, and Cleansing the Streets, to be paid to the Scavenger, otherwise to the Relief of the Poor.

Stat. 8 & 9 *W.* 3. c. 37. Sect. 2.

[2u. Sess.] Justices of the Peace in any City or Market-Town (not having already Provision made for them by any former Law) at their General or Quarter-Sessions, may appoint *Scavengers*, and order the Repairing and Cleansing the Streets; and may appoint Persons, or make Assessments on Owners and Occupiers of Lands and Houses equally, not exceeding 6 Pence in the Pound, to defray the Charges of such

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Scavengers, to be levied in eight Days, by Distress and Sale.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 52. Sect. 9.

Seamen. Vide **Boys bound to Sea in Tir. Apprentice.**

Serpents. Vide **Squibs.**

Servants.

[One] **S**ervants to
Clothiers,
Woollen - Weavers,
Tuckers, Fullers,
Clothworkers, Sheer-
men, Dyers, Hosiers,
Tailors, Shoemakers,
Tanners, Pewterers,
Bakers, Brewers, Glo-
vers, Cutlers, Smiths,
Farriers, Curriers,
Sadlers, Spurriers,
Turners, Cappers,
Hat or Felt Makers,
Fletchers, Arrow-
head-makers, Butch-
ers, Cooks, Millers,
refusing to serve for
Statute-Wages, and
departing (being re-
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To be bound over
to the Sessions.

The Cause to ex-
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tained) without a Quarter's Warning, or lawful Cause, to be allowed by a Justice.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 4.
Sect. 9.

Masters, being Clothiers, or any of the Trades above-mentioned, putting away his Servant without a Quarter's Warning, or good Cause to be allowed by a Justice, and proved by two Witnesses.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 4.
Sect. 8.

One retained in Service to work, and departing without Licence.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 4.
Sect. 11.

Forty Shillings, to be inflicted at Sessions, and they to be bound over.

One Month's Imprisonment.

To give a *Testimonial* under his Hand to Labourers, that they had not sufficient Work in the Place, where they dwelt, that they

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they might get Work in other Shires in the Time of Harvest, for which he may take one Penny.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 4. Sect. 23.

[Two] Servants assaulting Master, Mistress, Dame, or Overseer.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 4. Sect. 21.

One Year's Imprisonment, or less, or to be bound over to the Sessions, there to receive such open Punishment, as shall be thought convenient, Life and Member excepted.

Unmarried Women fit to serve, being above 12, and under 40, refusing to serve for convenient Time and Wages.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 4. Sect. 24.

Imprisonment.

To hear and determine the Breach of 5 Eliz. c. 4. upon Indictment, or otherwise, and award Process and Execution accordingly. The Forfeitures (except those otherwise limited) to be divided between the Queen and Prosecutor.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 4. Sect. 39.

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[*Qu. Hess.*] Ser-
vants to Clothiers,
&c. refusing to serve
for the Wages limit-
ed, according to the
Statute ; and being
retained, departing
his or their Service
without a Quarter's
Warning, or some
lawful Cause.

Stat. 5 *Eliz.* c. 4.
Sect. 9.

A Servant having
serv'd in one City or
Town, and getting to
serve in another, with-
out a Testimonial.

Stat. 5 *Eliz.* c. 4.
Sect. 11.

A Master taking a
Servant without a
Testimonial.

Stat. 5 *Eliz.* c. 4.
Sect. 11.

To be imprisoned
without Bail, but
upon Submission to
perform the Service,
to be enlarged with-
out Fees.

To be imprisoned
till he procure one ;
if he procure it not
in 20 Days, to be
whip'd as a Vagabond.

Five Pounds.

Vide *Wages.*

Sewers.

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[*Sir*] **A**FTER the End of ten Years all Laws, Ordinances, and Constitutions, made by Virtue of any Commission of *Sewers*, shall be in Force for one Year; and *six* Justices may execute such Commission, and Law, &c. unless in the Interim a new Commission issues.

Stat. 13 *Eliz.* c. 9. Sect. 2.

Quor. 2.

[*Du. Sell.*] To swear the Commissioners of *Sewers*.

Stat. 23 *H. 8.* c. 5. Sect. 5.

Sheep.

[*Q. S.*] **H**E that keeps in his own Possession at any one Time above 2000 Sheep.

Stat. 25 *H. 8.* c. 13. Sect. 1.

The Prosecution for the King to be within three Years; for a Subject, within one.

Three Shillings and Four-pence a piece.

Lambs not to be accounted Sheep till Midsummer, twelve Months after their Fall.

1000 Sheep to be reckoned after the Rate of 120 to the 100.

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Executors, Infants, Spiritual Persons, or Temporal Persons, for House-Provisions, excepted.

Transporting Sheep beyond Sea.

Stat. 8 Eliz. c. 3. Sect. 2.

First Offence, Forfeiture of Goods, to be divided between the Queen and the Prosecutor. To be imprison'd for a Year, and to have his Hand cut off in some open Market.

Second Offence, Felony.

Sheriff.

[One] Sheriff, Under-Sheriff, or Sheriff's Clerk, entering in the County-Court any Plaint in the Absence of the Plaintiff, or his Attorney, or having above one Plaint for one Cause.

Stat.

Forty Shillings, to be divided between the King and the Prosecutor.

To examine this Matter, and if the Party be found guilty, to certify the Examination into the Exchequer, within 3 Months,

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Sheriff.

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Stat. 11 H. 7. c. 15.
Sect. 8.

Months, on Pain of
40 s.

The Certificate is
a Conviction.

[Qu. Off.] Sher-
iffs, Under-Sheriffs,
Clerks, Bailiffs, Gaol-
ers, Coroners, Stew-
ards, Bailiffs of Fran-
chises, and all other
Officers, who act con-
trary to

40 l. to be divided
between the King
and the Prosecutor.

Stat. 23 H. 6. c. 10.
Sect. 1.

The Justices, who are to have the Con-
trolment of the Sheriff, and his Estreats,
are to be named in *Michaelmas* Sessions, by
the *Custos Rotulorum*, or (in his Absence)
by the Eldest of the *Quorum*.

Stat. 11 H. 7. c. 15. Sect. 20.

Sheriffs, Coroners,
and other Persons
having Return of
Writs, not returning
Jurors, and not le-
vying Issues accor-
ding to

Five Marks to the
Queen, upon Con-
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Stat. 27 Eliz. c. 7.
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Every Bailiff of a Franchise, Deputy, or Clerk of a Sheriff, or Under-Sheriff, intermeddling with their Offices before they are sworn.

Stat. 27 Eliz. c. 12.
Sect. 4.

40*l.* to be divided between the Queen and the Prosecutor; upon Conviction to award Process.

Note; The Original Poll-Books, &c. of Elections of Knights of the Shire, are to be delivered on Oath by the Sheriffs, or returning Officers, to the Clerk of the Peace, and by him kept among the Records of the Sessions of the Peace.

Stat. 10 Ann. c. 23. Sect. 5.

Vide Tit. **Forceful Entry and Detainer**,
Tit. **Oath**, and Tit. **Wages of Knight**
of the Shire.

Ships.

[Two] **P**ersons en-
tering Ships in Dis-
tress, without Leave
of | Shall within 20
Days after make dou-
ble Satisfaction to
the Party grieved,
at

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of the Commander (except Officers of the Customs, Constables, or others by their Order) or shall molest the Assistants, or endeavour to hinder the Saving of the Ships or Goods, or when saved, deface the Marks of any Goods before taken down in a Book.

Stat. 12 Ann. Sess. 2. c. 18. Sect. 3.

[Three] Persons assisting Ships in Distress, and preserving the same, or their Cargoes, to be paid by the Commander, Master or Owner, within 30 Days after, a reasonable Reward for their Service.

12 Ann. Sess. 2. c. 18. Sect. 2.

at Discretion of two next Justices; or in Default, be by them sent to the next House of Correction to hard Labour for 12 Months ensuing.

In Default, the Ship, &c. to remain in Custody of the Officer of the Customs, till all Assistants be reasonably gratified; and in Case of Disagreement, three near Justices named by the Officer, shall adjust the *Quantum* to be paid each Assistant.

And if no Person claims the Goods, the chief Officer of the nearest Port to apply to
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Three of the nearest Justices, who are to put him, or some other responsible Person, in Possession of the Goods, taking an Account in Writing thereof, to be signed by the said Officer, and if *perishable*, sold presently, or else kept a Year.

12 Ann. Sess. 2. c. 18. Sect. 2.

Shoemakers.

[One] Journeyman Shoemakers, within the *Weekly Bills of Mortality*, purloining, imbeziling, selling, pawning, or exchanging Boots, Shoes, Slippers, Leather, Latts, Silk, or other Materials, &c. delivered him by the Master. One Justice may summon the Party, or grant a Warrant to apprehend him; and on his Appearance or Default, examine the Fact, &c.

And on Conviction by Confession or one Witness, award him to make immediate Satisfaction; and on Nonpayment, levy it by Distress, &c. and if none found, cause him to be whipp'd.

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Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c.
27. Sect. 1.

For a second like
Offence.

Ibid. Sect. 1.

Persons buying, receiving, or taking in Pawn, from any Journeyman Shoemaker, &c. or other Person, any Boots, Shoes, or Slippers, or other Materials, &c. not being the proper Goods of the Person selling or pawning.

Ibid. Sect. 2.

If Persons employed by one Master in making Boots, Shoes, &c. neglect their Work by being retained by any other Person before it is finished, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 4.

Commitment to the House of Correction, not exceeding a Month, nor less than 14 Days.

On Conviction, *at supra*, award Satisfaction within 2 Days, or levy it by Distress, &c. and if none, cause him to be whipped.

On Conviction by one Witness, to be sent to Correction and Labour, not exceeding one Month.

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[Two] Within the Weekly Bills, on Complaint on Oath, may issue Warrants to search by Day, the Houses, &c. of Persons suspected of having such Goods, &c. *ut supra*, and on Refusal break open any House, &c. *Ibid.* Sect. 3.

If on Search any such Goods are found, &c. shall cause them to be restored to the Owner, and oblige the Offender to make Satisfaction for the Damage in detaining and getting the same. *Ibid.* Sect. 3.

[Qu. Sess.] Shoemakers not making their Boots, &c. of good and sufficient Stuff, nor sewing them well, and selling on Sunday.

Stat.

Opposing such Search, forfeits 10*l.* to the Prosecutor, recoverable by Action at *Westminster*, if sued for within 2 Months.

On Refusal of such Satisfaction, to be punished as Journeyman purloining, &c. *ut supra*.

3*s.* 4*d.* for every Offence, and the Value of the Wares made and sold, to be divided one Third to the King, one to the Prosecutor, and the other to the City, S 2 Borough,

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Stat. 1 Jac. 1. c. 22. Sect. 28.

Borough, Town, or Lord of the Liberty, where the Offence is committed.

In London the Master and Wardens of the Company of *Shoemakers, Curriers, Girdlers and Sadlers*, to search every Quarter at least, and view all Wares made of tann'd Leather, and to seise all insufficient Wares.

Stat. 1 Jac. 1. c. 22. Sect. 29.

Forty Shillings for every Year's Default, to be divided between the King and Prosecutor.

Silk.

[Dnr] **S**ilkwinders, and Doubblers, unjustly purloining, imbezilling, pawning, selling, or detaining Silk, deliver'd by Silk throwers, and the Buyers and Receivers of such Silk.

Stat.

To pay such Re-compence and Satisfaction for Damage, Loss, and Charges, as he shall order, not exceeding what the Party proves: If the Party be not able to make Satisfaction, or if he be, and do

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Offences.	Silk.	Penalties.
Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 15. Sect. 7. — 20 Car. 2. c. 6. Sect. 3.	do it not in 14 Days, to be whipp'd and set in the Stocks. To be committed to Prison, or House of Correction, till Satisfaction be made, or Punishment in- flicted.	
Confession, or one Witness. This extends to all Persons, who shall imbezil, pawn, or sell, or detain any Silk delivered to any Silk-Manufacturers, Agents, Journeymen, Warpers, and Wind- ers, by Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 36. Sect. 6.		

Silkthrower.

[2u. Sect.] EXERCISING the Trade of a Silkthrower, not having served 7 Years. Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 15. Sect. 2.	40 s. a Month, one Moiety to the King, the other to the Pro- secutor.
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Smuglers or Runners of Foreign
Offences. Goods. Penalties.

[One] **A**fter 25 March, 1722, Persons, who shall be found passing (knowingly and wilfully) with any Foreign Goods or Commodities landed from any Ship or Vessel, without the due Entry and Payment of the Duties, in their Custody, from any of the Coasts of this Kingdom, or within 20 Miles of any of the said Coasts; and shall be more than five Persons in Company, or shall carry any offensive Arms or Weapons, or wear any Vizard, Mask, or other Disguise, when passing with such Goods, or shall forcibly hinder or resist any Officer of the

Guilty of Felony, and to be transported for seven Years to some of his Majesty's Plantations or Colonies in *America*.

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Stat. 8 Geo. 1. c.
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Returning into
Great Britain or Ire-
land, before the Ex-
piration of 7 Years.

Persons Receiving
or Buying any Goods,
Wares, or Merchan-
dises, clandestinely
run or imported be-
fore the same shall
have been legally
condemned, know-
ing the same to be
so clandestinely run
or imported.

One or more cre-
dible Witnesses, or
Confession.

Stat. 8 Geo. 1. c.
18. Sect. 10.

[Two] All Seisures
of Vessels or Boats of
15 Tuns, or under,
which shall be made
after

Felony, without
Benefit of Clergy.

Forfeit 20 Pounds,
to be levied by Dis-
tress and Sale, &c.

And for Want of
Distress, to be com-
mitted to Prison
without Bail or
Mainprize for three
Months.

One Moiety of the
above Penalty to the
Informer, the other
to the Poor of the
Parish where Offence
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To be examined
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**Smuglers, or Runners of Foreign
Offences. Goods. Penalties.**

after 25 March, 1722, by Virtue of the *Act 8 Ann. For Granting to her Majesty new Duties of Excise, &c.* And of an *Act for Continuing several Impositions, &c. to raise Money by Loan for the Service of the Year 1710, or of any other Act relating to the Revenue of Customs, for carrying uncustomed or prohibited Goods from Ships, inwards, or for Relanding Certificate or Debenture Goods from Ships outwards: And all Seisures of Horses, or other Cattle, or Carriages, whatsoever, for being used in the Removing, Carriage, or Conveyance of such Goods contrary to the said Acts.*

Stat. 8 Geo. I. c. 18. Sect. 16.

by two or more Justices, residing near the Place where such Seisure shall be made, whose Judgment is final, and not liable to Appeal, or Certiorari.

**Smuglers, or Runners of Foreign
Offences. Goods. Penalties.**

Note ; Justices of *London* and *Westminster* have the like Power in Summoning, Examining, &c. such Seizures, made in the said Cities, as Justices of any other County or Place have.

Ibid. Sect. 17.

And the Penalties on Smuglers, &c. by 11 *Geo.* 1. pag. 486. are by several Clauses in Stat. 12 *Geo.* 1. pag. 564. 574. recoverable as by the Laws of Excise. See Tit. *Excise*.

See also the Stat. 2 *Geo.* 2. c. 28. Sect. 1 and 2. That several Clauses in the Act 5 (*Quer.* if not 8) *Geo.* 1. against clandestine Running of uncustomed Goods, and more effectually preventing Frauds in the Customs, which relates to the Importation of Foreign Brandy, Arrack, Rum, &c. (no Rum, &c. being to be imported in Casks, &c. under 20 Gallons) in any Ship or Vessel under 15 Tuns, are revived and continued till 29 *Septemb.* 1734. and End of the following Session.

Soldiers and Mariners.

Offences.

Penalties.

D. Sell. **A** Solder listed
departing without Li-
cence.

Felony without
Benefit of Clergy.

Stat. 7 H. 7. c. 1.

Secl. 2.

Stat. 2 & 3 Ed. 6.

c. 2. **Secl. 6.**

The Trial to be
in the County, where
he is apprehended.

To charge every Parish towards a weekly
Relief of maimed *Soldiers* and *Mariners*, so
as no Parish pay weekly above 10d. nor
under 2d. nor any County, which consists
of above 50 Parishes, pay above 6d. one
Parish with another.

Stat. 43 Eliz. c. 3. **Secl. 6.**

Upon a Certificate under the Hand and
Seal of the chief Commander, or of the
Captain, under whom a *Soldier* or *Mariner*
served, a Quarterly Pension is to be allow-
ed him, till revoked or altered; he who
hath not born Office, not to exceed 10l.

Soldiers and Mariners.

Offences.

Penalties.

An Officer under a Lieutenant 15*l*. A Lieutenant 20*l*.

Stat. 43 *Eliz. c. 3. Sect. 8.*

A Person commanded to muster, absenting himself without lawful Excuse, or not bringing his best Arms.

Stat. 4 & 5 *P. & M. c. 3. Sect. 2.*

Any Person authorised to muster or levy Soldiers, exacting or taking any Reward to discharge, or spare any from the Service.

Stat. 4 & 5 *P. & M. c. 3. Sect. 3.*

A Captain or other Officer, after he shall have (for a Reward) licenced a Soldier to depart, not paying him his Wages, and Coat, and Conduct-Money.

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Ten Days Imprisonment without Bail, unless he agrees to pay 40*l*. to be c-
itreated into the Ex-
chequer.

Ten times so much as he shall exact, or take ; one Moiety to the Crown, the other to the Prosecutor.

Ten times so much as he shall take, to be divided between the Crown and the Prosecutor, and to the Soldier three times so much as he should have paid him.

Offences.	Spirits.	Penalties.
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Stat. 4 & 5 P. &	
M. c. 3. Sect. 4.	

See the Mutiny and Desertion Act,
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South-Sea Company. Vide Felony.

Spirits.

N. Sell. **S**ervants
and o-
thers wittingly and
willingly assisting in
Making Spirits, &c.
contrary to

Stat. 10 & 11 W.
3. c. 4. Sect. 1.

Six Months Impri-
sonment, without Bail
or Mainprize.

Squibs.

[**One**] **N**O Person, of what Age, Sex,
Degree or Quality soever, to
make, sell, or utter, or offer, or expose to
Sale any *Squibs, Rockets, Serpents*, or other
Fireworks; or to permit or suffer any *Squibs*,
&c. to be cast, thrown, or fired out of, or
in their Houses, or Lodgings, or any Part
or Place thereto adjoining, in any publick
Street,

Ofences.

Squibs.

Penalties.

Street, &c. and to throw, cast, or fire, or to be aiding and assisting in Throwing, &c. any Squibs, &c. in or into any Street, &c. is a common Nuisance.

Stat. 9 & 10 W. 3. c. 7. Sect. 1.

Persons making, or causing to be made, giving, selling, or uttering, or offering, or exposing to Sale any Squibs, &c.

Stat. 9 & 10 W. 3. c. 7. Sect. 2.

Confession, or two Witnesses.

Five Pounds, to be levied by Distress and Sale, one Half to the Poor, the other to the Prosecutor.

Persons permitting, or suffering any Squibs, &c. to be cast, thrown, or fir'd from out of, or in his, her, or their House or Houses, Shops, Dwelling or Habitation, or any Part thereof, into any Street, &c.

Stat. 9 & 10 W. 3. c. 7. Sect. 2.

Conviction, *ut supra*.

Twenty Shillings, to be levied and employed, *ut supra*.

Persons

Twenty

Offences.

Squibs.

Penalties.

Persons throwing, casting, or firing, or being aiding and assisting in Throwing, &c. any Squibs, &c.

Stat. 9 & 10 W. 3.

c. 7. Sect. 3.

Conviction, *ut supra*.

Twenty Shillings, to be employ'd, *ut supra*; and if not paid immediately to the Justice, the Party to be committed to the House of Correction, to hard Labour, not exceeding a Month, unless the Offender shall sooner pay the Money.

Note; This Act extends not to the Master of the Ordnance, nor to the Artillery-Company.

Stamp Duty.

[One] **M**AY administer the Oath to Commissioners about Apprentices Duty. 8

Ann. c. 9. fo. 180.

Counterfeiting or Forging Stamps.

Stat. 9 *Ann. c. 23.*

Sect. 41.

See Felony.

Every

Offences. Stamp-Duty. Penalties.

Every Commissioner and Officer acting in Collecting the Stamp-Duties, to take the Oath following, appointed to be taken, by 9 *Ann. c. 19.* before two of the Commissioners, or one Justice of the Peace.

Ibid. Sect. 118.

The O A T H.

I A. B. do swear, That I will faithfully execute the Trust reposed in me, pursuant to the Act of Parliament, whereby certain Duties are charged upon Surrenders and Admittances to Copyhold Lands or Tenements, and other the Matters and Things thereby directed, to be stamped, as is therein mentioned, without Fraud or Concealment, and will from Time to Time true Account make of my Doings therein, and deliver the same to such Person or Persons, as his Majesty, his Heirs, and Successors, shall appoint to receive such Account: And will take no Fee, or Reward, or Profit, for the Execution or Performance of the said Trust, or the Business relating thereunto, from any Person or Persons, other than such as shall be allowed by his Majesty, his Heirs, and Successors, or some other Person or Persons, by him, or them, to that Purpose authorised.

Ibid. Sect. 119.

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Justice to give to the Officer a Certificate of his having taken the said Oath *Gratis*.
Sect. 136.

Counterfeiting or Forging any Stamp, made or used in Pursuance of the said Statute; or counterfeiting or resembling the Impression of the same, upon any Parchment or Paper, to defraud the Crown of the Duty or Selling such Paper, &c. with a counterfeit Mark, knowing it to be so, or privately and fraudulently using any Stamp, thereby to defraud the Crown.

Ibid. Sect. 128.

To cause or procure to be forged or counterfeited any *Stamp* or *Mark*, to resemble any Mark or Stamp, provided, made, or used in Pursuance of this, or any

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any Act, relating to
the Stamp Duties ;
or to cause or pro-
cure any Vellum,
Parchment, Paper,
Cards, or Dice, to
be mark'd or stamp'd
with such Counter-
feit Stamp or Mark.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c.
21. Sect. 58.

One Justice on Affidavit made of a pri-
vate Workhouse for making Cards or Dice
(unstamp'd) may empower Persons to break
it open.

6 Geo. 1. c. 2. fo. 427.

Note ; Justices taking Recognisances for
selling Ale, and not making out Licences
thereon duly Stamp'd, forfeit 10*l.* *Ibid.*

[*Tre*] May determine pecuniary Forfei-
tures on any Stamp-Duty Act, not exceed-
ing 20*l.* (but Appeal lies to Qu. Sess.)

Stat. 10 Ann. c. 19. fo. 264.

And may mitigate Penalties thereon, so
as not to reduce them to less than double
the Duty. *Ibid.* 298.

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No *Certiorari* to be allowed against Justices proceeding on the said Act. *Ibid.* fo. 298.

[*Time*] If any Person after 1 *Aug.* 1712. shall write or print any Surrender or Admittance of or to any Copyhold Estate in *Great Britain or Wales*, or any Grant or Lease by Copy of Court-Roll, &c. (except the Surrender to the Use of a Will) or any Matter directed to be stamp'd, by 10 *Ann. c. 19.* or shall sell or expose to Sale any Pamphlet or News-Paper (excepting Pamphlets exceeding one whole Sheet) before the same shall be stamp'd, The Offender forfeits

Ibid. Sect. 117.

Every Steward, or his Deputy, offending

Ten Pounds, with full Costs for every Offence.

One Moiety to the Crown, the other Moiety with full Costs to the Prosecutor.

Sect. 132.

Over and above the said Forfeiture, shall

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ing and being Con-
victed.

Ibid.

shall lose his Place ;
and such Writing is
not good, and shall
not be given in Evi-
dence, until five
Pounds together with
the Ten be paid,
and a Receipt be
produced under the
Hand of the Recei-
ver General of the
Stamp-Duties, or his
Deputy, and until
the Vellum, &c. be
stamped.

Persons writing or
printing any Thing
on stamp'd Paper, af-
ter the Crown shall
think fit to alter or
renew the Stamps,
after the Expiration
of sixty Days, after
such Intention of Al-
tering or Renewing,
shall be published by
Proclamation.

Ibid. Sect. 122.

Forfeit as a Per-
son writing on Paper
not stamp'd.

Printer and Pub-
lisher of any Pam-
phlet

Twenty Pounds,
with full Costs. One

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phlet of more than one Sheet, and the Duty not paid, and the Title of it registered, and one Copy not stamped within the Time limited by the said Statute.

Ibid. Sect. 125.

One Moiety to the Crown, the other Moiety with full Costs to the Prosecutor.

Sect. 132.

And the Author, Printer, and Publisher to lose the Property in the Copy, though the Title thereto be registered in *Stationers-Hall*; and any Person may freely print and publish the same, paying the Duty, without being liable to a Prosecution.

All Pamphlets must have the Printer's or Publisher's Name printed thereon.

Ibid. Sect. 126.

Twenty Pounds for every Offence, *ut supra*.

Two or more Justices, residing near the Place where any Pecuniary Forfeiture, not exceeding 20 Pounds, upon this or any of the Acts of Parliament, touching the Duties under the Management of the Commissioners

Offences. Stamp-Duty. Penalties.

Officers for Managing the Duties on stamp'd Vellum, Parchment, and Paper, shall be incurred to hear and determine the same within one Year after Seizure made, or Offence committed in a summary Way. And to award and issue out Warrants for levying the Penalties, adjudged on the Offender's Goods, and to cause them to be sold, unless redeemed within six Days, rendering the Overplus.

Ibid. Sect. 133.

Vide Stat. 5 & 6 W. & M. c. 21. And 9 Ann. c. 23.

Q. Whether the Party offending may not be committed (if he has no Goods whercon to levy) till he pay the Penalty.

In their Discretions,

Justices may mitigate Penalties as they shall think fit, the reasonable Costs and Charges of the Officers and Informers being first allowed over and above such Mitigation, and so as it does not reduce the Penalties to less than double the Duties, over and above the Costs and Charges.

Ibid. Sect. 134.

[*One*] & [*off.*] Persons aggrieved by the Sentence of two Justices, may appeal to the next Quarter-Sessions, who may examine Witnesses

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Witnesses on Oath, and finally determine the same, and issue Warrants to levy.

Ibid. Sect. 133.

Note ; No *Writ* or *Certiorari* lies to supersede Execution or other Proceedings upon any Order made in Pursuance of the above Statute.

Stolen Goods.

[One] **T**aking Money or Reward, directly or indirectly, under Pretence, or upon Account of Helping any Person to any Stolen Goods or Chattels, unless such Person doth apprehend, or cause to be apprehended such Felon, who stole the same, and bring him to Trial, and give Evidence against him.

Stat. 4 Geo. I. c. 11. Sect. 4.

Guilty of Felony, and to suffer in the same Manner, as if he had stole such Goods himself.

[Two]

Penalty

Offences. Stolen Goods. Penalties.

[*Act*] Whoever shall discover, apprehend, and prosecute to Conviction of Felony without Benefit of Clergy, any Person for taking Money, or other Reward, directly or indirectly, to help any Person to stolen Goods (such Offender not having apprehended the Felon, who stole the same, and brought him to Trial for the same, and given Evidence against him) upon a Certificate under the Hand and Seal of the two next Justices, shall receive the Sum of 40*l.* to be paid by the Sheriff.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 23. Sect. 9.

Penalty of forty Pounds, to be recovered by Action of Debt, &c. on any Person taking more than five Shillings for a Certificate.

Note ; The Reward of 40 Pounds for apprehending and convicting any Person for Burglary, to be paid without any Deduction as aforesaid. Sect. 10.

Streets paved. See Tit. Scavenger and Westminster.

Subornation of Perjury.

Offences.

[Qu. Sect.] **S**ub-
orning a Witness to give
Testimony in any
Court of Record,
concerning any Lands
Goods, Debts, or
Damages.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 9.
Sect. 3.

Penalties.

Forty Pounds, and
if he has not where-
with to satisfy the
same, six Months Im-
prisonment, without
Bail, to stand upon
the Pillory in the
same or next Market-
Town where Offence
was committed, and
disabled to give Te-
stimony in any Court
of Record, till the
Judgment be rever-
sed by Attaint, or
otherwise.

Note ; One Justice may bind over, or
commit the Offender.

See Tit. *Felony*.

Sunday.

[One] **P**ersons
being
present at Bear bait-
ings,

Three Shillings
and Four-pence for
the Poor, to be le-
vied

Offences.

Sunday.

Penalties.

ings, Bull-baitings, Enterludes, Common Plays, and any other unlawful Pastimes on the Lord's Day.

Stat. 1 Car. 1. c. 1.
Sect. 4.

View, Confession, or one Witness.

Prosecution in one Month.

Carrier, Waggoner, Carman, Wainman, or Drover, travelling on the Lord's Day about their respective Business.

Stat. 3 Car. 1. c. 1.
Sect. 2.

View, Confession, or two Witnesses.

Prosecution in six Months.

Persons of the Age of 14 Years, and upwards, doing any worldly Labour or Business on the Lord's Day, Works of Charity

vied by Distress, &c. in Default, to sit in the Stocks three Hours.

Twenty Shillings for every Offence, to be levied, and employed, *ut supra*.

Third Part may be allowed to the Prosecutor.

Five Shillings to the Poor, to be levied by Distress and Sale; if not able, to be set in the Stocks two Hours.

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Offences.

Sunday.

Penalties.

city and Necessity
only excepted.

Stat. 29 Car. 2. c.

7. Sect. 1.

View, Confession,
or one Witness.

Persons publickly
crying, or exposing
to Sale any Wares,
except Milk.

Stat. 29 Car. 2. c.

7. Sect. 1.

Conviction, *ut su-
pra*.

View, Confession,
or one Witness.

Drovers, Horse-
Coursers, Waggon-
ers, Butchers, Hig-
lers, or their Ser-
vants, travelling on
the Lord's Day.

Stat. 29 Car. 2. c.

7. Sect. 2.

Conviction, *ut su-
pra*.

Persons using or
travelling on the
Lord's

The Wares to be
seised, and sold for
the Poor.

Twenty Shillings,
to be employed, *ut
supra*, to be levied
by Distress and Sale;
if not able, to be
set in the Stocks :
Hours.

Five Shillings, to
be levied and employ-
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Offences. **Sunday.** *Penalties.*

Lord's Day, with Boat, Wherry, &c. except allowed by a Justice, &c.

Stat. 29 Car. 2. c. 7. Sect. 2.
Conviction, *ut supra.*

ed, *ut supra*; and if not able, punished, *ut supra.*

A Part of the Penalties in this Act, not exceeding a Third, may be given to the Informer.

Vide Shoemakers and Butcher.

Surbeyors. See Tit. Highways, and Westminster.

Swearing and Cursing.

[One] **P**ersons profanely Swearing or Cursing.

Stat. 21 Jac. 1. c. 20. Sect. 1.

Hearing of a Justice, Confession, or two Witnesses.

Twelve Pence for the Poor, to be levied by Distress, &c. or in Default, to be set in the Stocks 3 Hours, if the Offender be above twelve Years old; but if under, and not paying, to be whipped by the Constable, or the Parent or Master.

Swearing and Cursing.**Offences.****Penalties.**

in the Constable's
Presence.

Servants, Labour-
ers, common Soldi-
ers, common Seamen,
profanely swearing
and cursing in the
Presence or Hear-
ing of a Justice of
Peace.

One Shilling for
the first Offence, for
the second double,
for the third treble,
to the Use of the
Poor.

Every other Per-
son.

Two Shillings first,
second, and third, *at*
supra, to the same
Use, to be levied by
Distress and Sale; if
no Distress, to be
set in the Stocks one
Hour for one Offence,
two Hours for more,
if above 16 Years of
Age; if under, to
be whipp'd.

Stat. 6 & 7 W. 3.
c. 11. Sect. 1.

Confession, or one
Witness.

Prosecution to be
in 10 Days.

Justice omitting or
neglecting to put in
Execution the A&
immediately above
mentioned.

Five Pounds.

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Swearing and Cursing.

Offences.

Penalties.

Stat. 6 & 7 W. 3.
c. 11. Sect. 3.
Prosecution, *ut supra*.

Parson not reading the last mentioned Act, the next Sunday after every Quarter-Day yearly, immediately after Morning Prayer.

Stat. 6 & 7 W. 3.
c. 11. Sect. 6.
Prosecution, *ut supra*.

Twenty Shillings for every Omission.

To register in a Book all Convictions upon Stat. 6 & 7 W. 3. c. 11. and the Time, and certify the same to the Quarter-Sessions.

Stat. 6 & 7 W. 3. c. 11. Sect. 7.

Tanners.

[One] **T**O administer an Oath to Tanners, and Dressers of Hides in England, That they did, within two Days after Taking Hide, or Skin, or Pieces thereof,

Offences.

Tanners.

Penalties.

of, or Vellum, or Parchment, out of Woore, Mill, Liquor, or other Materials, make a true Entry, with the proper Officer, of the Number and Quality of the Hides, &c. so taken out to be dried.

Stat. 9 *Ann. c. 11.* Sect. 16.

To administer an Oath to Tanners, &c. that they give Notice to the proper Officer two Days before Removal of Hides, &c.

Stat. 9 *Ann. c. 11.* Sect. 16.

[Two] Tanner, or other Person, shaving, or causing to be shaved Hide or Calf-Skin before tanned, whereby it shall be impaired, or Duty diminished.

Prosecution in three Months.

An Appeal to the next Quarter-Sessions.

Stat. 9 *Ann. c. 11.* Sect. 11.

Every such Hide, or Skin, or the Value forfeited.

One Moiety to the Queen, the other to the Informer.

Justices may mitigate, so as the reasonable Costs and Charges in Prosecution be allowed over and above such Mitigation, so as the Penalty be not reduced to less than one fourth Part.

Sect. 37.

To continue for 32 Years.

Offences. Tanners. Penalties.

Vide The Definition of tanned Hides, or Skins, Pieces of Hides, or Skins, Leather dressed in Oil, &c. and tawed Leather, in Stat. 9 Ann. c. 11. Sect. 3.

Tanners, Bazil-Tanners, Curriers, Tawers, *Spanish* Leather-Dressers, and all other Dressers of Hides, or Skins, or Pieces of Hides, or Skins, and all Makers of Vellum and Parchment, neglecting to give Notice in Writing to the proper Officer, of their respective Names and Places of Abode, and Tan-houses, Yards, Work-houses, Mills, or other Places for Tanning, Tawing, or Dressing any such Hides, or Skins, or Pieces thereof.

Prosecution, and Appeal, *ut supra*.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 11. Sect. 15.

Fifty Pounds, one third Part to the Queen, the other two Thirds to the Informer.

Owners

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Offences.

Tanners.

Penalties.

Owners, or Occu-
piers of Tan-yards,
&c. refusing the pro-
per Officer to enter.

Prosecution and
Appeal, *ut supra*.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 11.
Sect. 17.

Tanners, Tawers,
Curriers, or Dressers
of any Hides, or
Skins, or Pieces there-
of; or any Makers
of Vellum or Parch-
ment, using any pri-
vate Tan-yard, &c.
or not giving timely
Notice of Taking
the Hides, &c. out
of the Wooze, &c.
or Removing, Send-
ing, or Carrying away
the same, or any Part
thereof; or hiding,
or concealing any
Skins, &c. or causing
the same to be hid
or concealed.

Prosecution, and
Appeal, *ut supra*.

Stat.

Ten Pounds, to be
divided, *ut supra*.

Mitigation, *ut su-
pra*.

Twenty Pounds,
and the Forfeiture of
the Skins, &c. or the
Value thereof; one
Moiety to the Queen,
the other to the In-
former.

Mitigation, *ut su-
pra*.

Offences.

Tanners.

Penalties.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 11.
Sect. 17.

Tanners, &c. not paying the Duties, with which Hides, Skins, &c. are chargeable.

Sending, delivering, or carrying out any Hides, &c. before the Duty is paid.

Prosecution, and Appeal, *ut supra*.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 11.
Sect. 25.

Tanners, &c. not keeping just Scales and Weights, or not permitting Hides, &c. to be weighed, or neglecting to bring the same to the Scale; or to assist at the Weighing, or Removing Hides, &c. or causing them to be removed, before the Duties be charged, and the Skins, &c. marked.

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Double the Duty.

Double the Value of such Hides so delivered, or carried out.

To be divided, *ut supra*.

Mitigation, *ut supra*.

Fifty Pounds, to be divided, *ut supra*.

Mitigation, *ut supra*.

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Prosecution, and
Appeal, *ut supra*.
Stat. 9 Ann. c. 11.
Sect. 26.

Tanners, &c. not
accounting with the
proper Officer once
in three Months.

Prosecution, and
Appeal, *ut supra*.
Stat. 9 Ann. c. 11.
Sect. 27.

Fifty Pounds, to
be divided, *ut su-
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Mitigation, *ut su-
pra*.

Note ; Collar-Makers, Glovers, Bridle-Ma-
kers, and others, who dress any Skins, or
Hides, or Pieces of Skins or Hides, in Oil,
Allom and Salt, or Meal, or with other In-
gredients, and who cut and make the
same into Wares, are Tanners and Dressers
within the Act, and subject to the Penal-
ties and Forfeitures in the same.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 11. Sect. 28.

Officer taking any
Fee, or Reward for
any Entries, Ac-
counts, Permissions,
Certificates, Marks,
or Receipts.

Prosecution, and
Appeal, *ut supra*.

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Five Pounds to the
Party grieved, for
every such Offence.

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Stat. 9 *Ann. c. 11.*
Sect. 35.

To hear and determine all Offences against the Stat. 1 *Jac. 1. c. 22.* concerning Tanners, within the Time, and in the Manner, and subject to Mitigation and Appeal, *ut supra.*

Stat. 9 *Ann. c. 11.* Sect. 36 and 37.

Relanding, or putting on Shore again, within *Great Britain*, any Hides, Calves-Skins, Boots, Shoes, Gloves, or other Manufactures of Leather, shipp'd to be exported.

Prosecution, and Appeal, *ut supra.*

Stat. 9 *Ann. c. 11.*
Sect. 42.

Forfeiture of the same, and the treble Value. One Moiety to the Queen, the other to the Informer.

Mitigation, *ut supra.*

Note ; The Judgment of the Justices is final, and no *Certiorari* to be brought or allowed to remove any the Proceedings of the Justices of Peace, relating to Offences committed against

Stat. 9 *Ann. c. 11. Ibid.* Sect. 47.

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Tanners.

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[Du. Sess.] Butcher exercising the Mystery of a Tanner.

1 Jac. 1. c. 22.
Sect. 4.

Persons exercising the Mystery of a Tanner, not having serv'd 7 Years as an Apprentice, or hired Servant, except the Widow or Children of a Tanner, and having been brought up in that Profession four Years, Cutters or Workers of Leather-Tanning.

1 Jac. 1. c. 22.
Sect. 5.

Persons buying rough Hides, or Calves Skins in the Hair, except such
as

Six Shillings and Eight-pence a Day, to be divided. One Third to the King, one to the Prosecutor, and the other to the City, Borough, Town, or Lord of the Liberty, where the Offence is committed.

Forfeit all the Leather they tan, or the Value thereof, to be divided, *ut supra*.

Forfeit them, or the just Value, to be divided, *ut supra*.

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Penalties.

as can lawfully tan them.

1 *Fac.* 1. c. 22. Sect.

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Persons forestalling Hides, or buying them other-where than in open Fair or Market.

1 *Fac.* 1. c. 22. Sect. 7.

Tanner who over-limes his Hides, or useth in Tanning any Thing save Ash-Bark, Tapwork, Malt, Meal, Lime, Culver-dung or Hen-dung, or suffers them to be frozen, or parched with Fire or Sun; or tans rotten Hides, or works them in other Sort than is by the Statute limited.

1 *Fac.* 1. c. 22. Sect. 11.

Tanner, who by Mixtures raises any Hide

Six Shillings and Eight-pence a Hide, to be divided, *ut supra.*

Forfeits every Hide so tann'd, and put to Sale, or the full Value thereof, to be divided, *ut supra.*

Forfeits it, to be divided, *ut supra.*

Offences.

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Hide for Sole-Leather not fit for that Use.

1 *Fac.* 1. c. 22.
Sect. 14.

Persons putting to Sale tanned Leather, red and unwrought but in Fair or Market, unless searched and sealed before, or offering to sell such Leather before it be searched and sealed.

1 *Fac.* 1. c. 22.
Sect. 14.

Persons putting to Sale any Leather, insufficiently tann'd or dried.

1 *Fac.* 1. c. 22.
Sect. 15.

Tanner hastening the Tanning of his Leather, by giving it unkind Heats with hot Wooze, or otherwise.

1 *Fac.* 1. c. 22.
Sect. 17.

Six Shillings and 8 Pence a Hide, and for every Dozen of Calf-Skins, or Sheep-Skins, 3*s.* 4*d.* besides the Hides and Skins themselves, or the full Value thereof, to be divided, *ut supra.*

Forfeit the Whole, to be divided, *ut supra.*

Ten Pounds, to be divided, *ut supra*, and to stand upon the Pillory three Days in the next Market.

Tabern.

*Offences.***Tobacco.***Penalties.*

Tabern. See Tit. Alehouse.

Testimonial. Vide *Servants.*

Tobacco.

[Two] **M**AY grant a special Warrant to search for, and seise Walnut-Tree Leaves, Hop-Leaves, &c. cut, mix'd, or manufactured to resemble Tobacco, and the Engines, &c. And if seised within six Miles of any Sea-Port, such Leaves, &c. to be brought to the next Custom-house Ware-house; and if at any greater Distance.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. Sect. 2. c. 46. Sect. 4.

Servants and Labourers employed in Cutting,

To secure them at the King's Cost, till the Cause of Seisfure be determined by the Qu. Sessions, who are to hear and determine the same at the farthest at the second Qu. Session, after Seisfure made.

After Condemnation, to be openly burnt or destroy'd, by Order of Sessions, at the King's Charge.

To be committed to the common Gaol, or

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Cutting, Colouring, Curing, or Manufacturing any such Leaves, &c. to resemble Tobacco, or making a Mixture thereof, or knowingly vending the same.

One Witness.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 46. Sect. 5.

or House of Correction, to hard Labour, not exceeding six Months, without Bail or Mainprize.

[Qu. Sess.] Two Justices of Peace may, at the Quarter-Sessions, present any Persons for sowing, planting, or making Tobacco, which Presentment is a Conviction in Law, and the Party forfeits 40s. for every Rod, unless he, having Notice in Writing 10 Days before, shall traverse such Presentment, and find Sureties to prosecute next Qu. Sessions.

Stat. 22 & 23 Car. 2. c. 26. Sect. 3.

Note ; A Clause in Stat. 9 Geo. 1. c. prohibiting the Importation of Tobacco strip'd from the Stalk or Stem, is repealed by Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 9.

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Offen. **Tobacco-pipe Clay. Penal.**

[*2. Sect.*] **E**Xport-
ing
Tobacco-pipe Clay.
Stat. 13 & 14 Car.
2. c. 18. Sect. 7.

Three Shillings a
Pound, to be divided
between the King
and the Prosecutor.

Toll. Vide *Hay-market.*

Transportation

[*One*] **T**O re-
fue such
Felon or Offenders,
as are order'd for
Transportation; and
the Person aiding or
assisting them in ma-
king their Escape.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c.
23. Sect. 5.

Felony, without
Benefit of Clergy.

A Felon ordered
for Transportation,
who shall be after-
wards at large within
the Kingdom of *Great
Britain*, without some
lawful Cause, before
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Felony, without
Benefit of Clergy.

And may be tried
either in the County
where apprehended,
or from whence or-
der'd for Transporta-
tion.

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the Expiration of the Term, for which such Felon was ordered to be transported, being lawfully convicted.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 23. Sect. 6.

Certificate of the Clerk of the Peace, containing the Effect and Tenor of the Indictment, and Conviction of such Felon, produced in Court is a sufficient Proof.

Sect. 7.

Vide Smuglers or Gunners of Foreign Goods.

[Two] The Lord Mayor of London, or one Justice of the Peace of the City of London; and in all other Places two Justices, may allow of Contracts by Persons above 15 and under

Contracts to be certified to the next Qu. Sessions, and there registred without Fee, by the Clerk of the Peace.

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under 21 Years of Age, with Merchants or others, for serving in the Plantations, not exceeding eight Years.

Stat. 4 Geo. 1. c. 11. Sect. 5.

The Court before whom Felons are convicted, may nominate and appoint, if they shall think fit, two or more Justices, to contract for the Performance of the transportation of such Felons, to any of the Colonies and Plantations in *America*: And to order such sufficient Security, as directed by 4 Geo. 1. c. 11. And also to cause such Felons to be delivered by the Gaolers to the Persons contracting for them.

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Contracts and Security to be certified by the Justices to the next Court, held for the County, &c. to be filed and kept amongst the Records of such Court.

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Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. |
23. Sect. 2.

[Qu. Sess.] To order the Treasurer of the County, &c. for which the Court was held, that ordered such Felons to be transported. To pay all such Charges and Expences to such Person or Persons, as shall be employed for the Purposes aforesaid.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 23. Sect. 3.

All Securities for Transportation of Felons to be by Bond in the Name of the Clerk of the Peace of the County, &c. which said Clerks of the Peace, and their Successors shall prosecute such Bonds in their own Names (to which Purpose they are a Body Corporate) and to be paid such Costs, Charges, and Expences as the Qu. Sessions shall direct, out of the Publick Stock by the Treasurer of the County, &c.

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The Monies recovered on such Securities, to the Use of the County, &c. and paid to the Treasurer, to be Part of the County-Stock.

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Note; The Persons contracting, and to whom such Felons are deliver'd, in order to be transported; or the Persons directed by the Justices, may carry and secure them in and through any County of *Great Britain*.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 23. Sect. 5.

Treasurer of the County.

[*Q. S.*] **T**H E Trea-
surer (or his Execu-
tors, &c.) who hath
been negligent to ex-
ecute his Office, or
render an Account.

Stat. 43 *Eliz.* c. 3.
Sect. 7.

Five Pounds at
least.

Treasurers wilful-
ly refusing to give
Relief.

Stat. 43 *Eliz.* c. 3.
Sect. 12.

Fineable, to be le-
vied by Distress and
Sale of Goods, by a
Warrant of any two
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the Rest

Treasurer of the County.

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Two Treasurers for the County are to be chosen yearly at *Easter-Sessions*, by the more Part of the Justices, out of such Subsidy-men as were taxed in the last Tax of Subsidies, at five Pounds Lands, or ten Pounds Goods.

Stat. 43 *Eliz. c. 2. Sect. 14.*

Treasurer for the County refusing to execute the Office, distribute Relief, or to account to their Successors, and pay the Monies in their Hands to the Lord Chief Justice of the *King's Bench*, and the Knight Marshal, by equal Portions.

Stat. 43 *Eliz. c. 2. Sect. 16.*

Three Pounds at least, to be levied by Distress and Sale, and to be prosecuted by any two Justices, authorised by the Rest.

Vide Tit. *Bridges*, and pag. 428.

Trees. Vide Tit. *Wood*.

Trespases. Vide Tit. *Informers*.

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[*Ther*] To certify under their Hands and Seals, the Examination, Stating, and Allowance by the Quarter-Sessions, of *Trophy-Money* raised, levied und collected for any precedent Year.

Stat. 12 *Ann.* Sess. 1. c. 10. Sect. 2. and Sess. c. 8. Sect. 2.

[*Du. Sess.*] The Lieutenancy shall not issue out any Warrants for levying *Trophy-Money*, till the *Justices of Peace*, or the major Part of them at their Quarter-Session, shall have examined, stated, and allowed the Accompts of the *Trophy Money* last raised, levied, and collected for any preceding Year, and certified such Examination of the said Accouns under the Hands and Seals of three or more of them, to the respective Lieutenants, or their Deputies.

Stat. 12 *Ann.* Sess. 1. c. 10. Sect. 2. And Sess. 2. c. 8. Sect. 2.

Note ; The Act of 1 *Geo.* 1. c. . about the Militia and Trophy-Money, is revived and continued for 7 Years, and to the End of the next Session, by Stat. 9 *Geo.* 1. c. .

Turnpikes.

Turnpikes. See Tit. Highways.

[One] **P**ersons driving any Horse, Sheep, or other Cattle thro' any Grounds adjoining to the Ways where Turnpikes are erected, whereby the Toll shall be avoided.

Stat. 8 Geo. 1 c. 5. and other Statutes.

Owners or Occupiers of Lands adjoining, so permitting Passage. Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 5. Sect. 4.

Disposing of Tickets to avoid the Toll. *Ibid.* Sect. 12.

[Two] Persons maliciously breaking down or destroying any Turnpike, Gates, Posts, Walls, Fences, Rails, &c. erected to prevent Passengers,

Ten Shillings on Conviction on Oath of one Witness, leviable by Distress, &c.

Ten Shillings on like Conviction, &c.

Forfeits 10s.

On Conviction before two Justices or Sessions, on Oath of one Witness, commitment to Gaol or House of Correction, and Labour for three Months,

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Months, and also whipped in open Market.

Stat. 1 Geo. 2. Sess. 2. c. 19. Sect. 1.

[Over & Term] Persons guilty of a second like Offence, or who shall maliciously break down any Lock, sluice, or Floodgate, erected for preserving the Navigation of any River.

Guilty of Felony, and may be transported for 7 Years.

Ibid. Sect. 2.

[Qu. Sess.] This Act to be read at every Qu. Sessions, Leet, &c. and to continue for five Years, and the End of the next Sessions of Parliament. *Ibid.* Sect. 4.

May judge and determine when Ways are sufficiently repaired, and thereupon order the Toll to cease, on paying of the Money advanced, and Interest, though the Term of the Turnpike be not expired. Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 5.

Note ; By divers Acts the Quarter-Sessions are to appoint Receivers or Collectors of Tolls of Turnpikes, who are weekly to
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account on Oath, and pay the Money to the Surveyors, towards mending the Ways; and the Collectors on refusing to pay the Toll, may distrain any Horse, Coach, Waggon, Oxen, &c. till the Toll and Charge of the Distress be satisfied. Also Collectors not accounting, may be committed, (by a Special Session) to the common Gaol, without Bail. See Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 5. Sect. 6.

And Surveyors are (twice) yearly to yield an Account at the Sessions, of the Money received from the Collectors, and of their Disbursements, &c. And the Sessions may make them such Allowances for their Pains as they think fit.

Surveyors refusing to take on them the Office, being thereto appointed by the Sessions, or to do their Duty therein, the Sessions may fine them, and appoint others.

Surveyors not accounting, or Collectors not paying to the Surveyors the Money by them received, to be committed to Gaol.

Also Surveyors by an Order of Sessions, may mortgage the Profits of the Turnpikes, not exceeding the Terms granted, in order to raise Money at 5 per Cent. for Repair of Highways. *Vide ut supra.*

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Offences.

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See also the several Stat. 1 and 2 Geo. 2.
for Repairing Roads, &c.

Actuals. See Alchouses.

Tithes.

[One] **P**ersons
sub-
tracting, or with-
holding small Tithes.

Stat. 7 & 8 W. 3.
c. 6. Sect. 3.

Shall levy the Sum
adjudged by two Ju-
stices, upon their Cer-
tificate, where the
Party subtracting, for
with-holding, re-
moves out of the
County.

Where two Justi-
ces have adjudged
what Sum any *Qua-*
ker is to pay for great
or small Tithes.

Stat. 7 & 8 W. 3.
c. 6. Sect. 3.

To be levied by
Warrant, under ei-
ther of their Hands
and Seals, by Di-
stress and Sale.

[Two] Defendants
in the Ecclesiastical
Court, against whom
the Judge complains
for any Contumacy,
or Misdemeanour,
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To be committed
to Prison, till they
find sufficient Sure-
ties to be bound by
Recognisance, or
otherwise, to obey
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in any Suit there depending for Tithes.

Stat. 27 H. 8. c.

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c. 13. Sect. 13.

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the Process, Proceedings, Decrees, and Sentences of the said Court.

This extends not to
London.

Persons after a Sentence for Tithes in the Ecclesiastical Court, refusing to pay Tithes, or Sums of Money adjudg'd, upon a Certificate thereof from the Judge.

Stat. 32 H. 8. c. 7.

Sect. 4.

— 2 & 3 Ed. 6.

c. 13. Sect. 1.

Quor. 1.

To be committed to the next Gaol, till they find Surety by Recognisance, to perform the Sentence.

This extends not to
London.

Upon Complaint made, within two Years, against any Person for Substraction, or withholding of small Tithes, under Hand and Seal, to summon the Person, and after Appearance,

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pearance, or Default (Summons being proved) to examine and determine the same ; by Evidence upon Oath, and in Writing under Hand and Seal, to adjudge such reasonable Allowance for Tithes, and Costs, not exceeding 10*s.* as they shall think fit, except in Case of Prescription, or *Modus decimandi.*

Stat. 7 & 8 W. 3. c. 6. Sect. 2.

Persons refusing or neglecting for 10 Days after Notice to pay the Sum adjudged for Substraction of Tithes.

The Sum to be levied by Distress, and Sale in 3 Days after the Distress, unless paid before : All Charges to be deducted out of the Money raised by the Sale.

Where any Person makes a false and vexatious Complaint for Substraction, or withholding of small Tithes, to give Costs not exceeding 10*s.* to the Party prosecuted.

Neither of the Justices, who put this Act in Execution, must be Patron.

Stat. 7 & 8 W. 3. c. 6. Sect. 12.

Offences.

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Quaker refusing
to pay, or compound
for great or small
Tithes, or to pay
any Church-Rates.

Stat. 7 & 8 W. 3.
c. 34. Sect. 4.

To be convened
before two Justices,
who are to examine
upon Oath, the Truth
and Justice of the
Complaint, and by
order under their
Hands and Seals di-
rect the Payment
thereof, not exceed-
ing 10*l*.

If not Patrons, or interested in the
Tithes, are on Complaint of any Parson,
&c. to summon in Writing *Quakers*, and de-
termine on Appearance, or in Default and
Summons proved upon Oath, to hear and
determine the Complaint, and make such
Order as directed by Stat. 7 & 8 W. 3. And
also to order such Costs and Charges, as
they shall think reasonable, not exceeding
ten Shillings.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 6. Sect. 2.

An Appeal lies.

[*Qu. Sect.*] May reverse the Judgment of
two Justices, relating to Tithes on an Ap-
peal; but if they affirm it, are to give
Costs against the Appellant, to be levied,

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as provided by 7 & 8 W. 3. c. 34. unless the Title of such Tithes, &c. be in Question.

1 Geo. 1. c. 6. Sect. 2.

Vagabonds and Vagrants.

[Dnc] **M**AY reward those, who apprehend Rogues, Vagabonds, &c. and bring them before him, by granting them a Warrant under Hand and Seal to the Constable, &c. of such Parish, where such Rogue, &c. passed unapprehended, to pay 2*s.* for every Vagabond, on Pain of being proceeded against according to 39 Eliz. c. 4. and 1 Jac. 1. c. 1. and out of the Money forfeited, by 1 Jac. to allow 2*s.*

Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 12. Sect. 16.

A Justice of one County may certify to a Justice of another.

Note ; The Statute of 39 Eliz. and 1 Jac. 1. are repealed by Stat. 12 Ann. c. 23. but the Substance thereof re-enacted *vide post.*

If the Constable refuseth to obey the Warrant		To Cause such Con- stable to pay to such U 4. Persons
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Warrant above mentioned.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car.
2. c. 12. Sect. 17.

Vagabonds, Beg-
gars, &c.

Stat. 11 & 12 W.
3. c. 18. Sect. 1.

— 1 Ann. c. 13.
Sect. 2. Sect. 6.

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Persons as apprehend
Vagabonds, &c. 10s.
or so much thereof,
for their Expences
and Loss of Time, as
he thinks fit, which be
forfeited by 39 Eliz.

To be taken by
the Constable, and
carried before the
next Justice, to be
carefully examined,
and either sent to
the House of Cor-
rection, or to such
Town of the next
County, as he shall
think most proper,
giving the Constable
a Certificate of the
Persons so ordered
to be punished, or
conveyed, with the
Manner how, and
when, and whence
conveyed, and with
what Assistance; and
to tax an Allowance
for Pains and Trou-
ble, according to the
Rate,

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Constables not apprehending Vagabonds, wandring Beggars, &c.

Stat. 11 & 12 W.
3. c. 18. Sect. 4.
— 1 Ann. c. 13.
Sess. 2. Sect. 8.

One Witness.

High Constable paying Money for passing Vagrants without the Petty Constable's Producing a Receipt for such Vagrants.

Stat. 1 Ann. Sess.
2. c. 13. Sect. 8.

Rate, set in *Easter*
Qu. Sessions yearly.

Twenty Shillings,
to be levied by Dis-
tress and Sale.

One fourth Part to
the Informer, the o-
ther three to the Poor.

Twenty Shillings,
to be levied by Dis-
tress and Sale.

To send such as are Vagrants, within the
Stat. 39 Eliz. c. 4. into the Sea-Service.

Stat. 2 Ann. c. 6. Sect. 16.

Patent-Gatherers,
or Collectors for Pri-
sons

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sons and Gaols, *wandering for that Purpose*; Fencers, Bearwards, Common Players of Interludes, Minstrels, Juglers, *though not wandering*; Gypsies or Egyptians, or wandering in their Habit or Form; Pretenders to Physiognomy, or Palmistry, or like crafty Science, or Fortune-telling, or like phantastical Imaginations; Users of any subtle Craft, or unlawful Games or Plays; able bodied Persons, who run away, and leave their Wives and Children to the Parish, and not having otherwise to maintain themselves, use *Loitering*, and *refuse to work* for usual and common Wages; and other idle Persons, *wandering*

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apprehended by the Constable, or other Officer, Inhabitant, or any other there being, and conveyed to a Justice of the same County, City, Borough, or Town Corporate, in or near the Parish or Place, where so apprehended, and may be punished by being *whipped till bloody*, &c. *ut infra*.

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wandering abroad and begging, excepting Soldiers, Mariners, &c. licensed by a Testimonial under the Hand and Seal of a Justice, mentioning the Time and Place of their Landing, and to which they are to pass, during such Passing only.

Stat. 12 Ann. Sess.
2. c. 23. Sect. 1.

To charge Inhabitants, &c. to apprehend and deliver to the Constable, or to carry before a Justice, where no Constable, &c. is found, any Rogue or Vagabond, resorting to any House to beg.

Stat. 12 Ann. Sess.
2. c. 23. Sect. 2.

To reward any Person so apprehending,

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Constables, Officers or Inhabitants refusing, and convicted by Oath of one Witness before a Justice, forfeits 10s. to the Poor, levied by Distress, &c. on a Warrant of one Justice.

On Constables, &c. refusing Payment,

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ing, &c. by ordering by his Warrant the Constable, &c. where the Rogue, &c. was found begging, and passed unapprehended, to pay him 2s. for apprehending, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 2.

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ment, by Warrant to levy, by Distress and Sale of such Constable's Goods, 20 Shillings, and allow the Person 2 Shillings out of the same, and such Recompence for his Trouble, Loss of Time, and Expences, as he shall think fit.

To examine Rogues, &c. apprehended by the Constable, or others, or on a privy Search made, touching their Condition and Circumstances, Places of Abode, and Birth, &c. and transmit the same to the Quarter-Sessions.

Ibid. Sect. 4

To convey Rogues, &c. by a special Pass, to the Places of their Birth, &c. or if under 14, to the Abode of their Father, or Mother; or otherwise to the Place, where last found begging, and passing unapprehended.

Ibid. Sect. 4.

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If the Justice shall adjudge such Person an *incorrigible Rogue*, he may commit him to the House of Correction, or County-Gaol, to hard Labour, till the Quarter-Sessions. And Rogues, &c. refusing to be examin'd, or on Examination giving a false Account of themselves, their Birth, last Settlement, &c. are to be deemed *incorrigible Rogues*, of which the Justice is to inform them, during Examination.

Ibid. Sect. 9.

Not to pass any Rogue, &c. to the Place of Birth before Examination; nor after, if a Place of *legal Settlement* can be found.

Ibid. Sect. 10.

Shall with the *Pass* deliver to the Constable a Certificate, ascertaining how they shall be passed, and whither, and in what Time, and what Allowances to the Constables, or Officer, who

On Forfeiture of 5*l.* for every Offence, to be recovered by Action of Debt, &c.

Petty Constables, &c. counterfeiting a Certificate, or not conveying, &c. forfeit 20 Pounds, besides the Sum so fraudulently taken, Half to the Poor, and Half to the Informer,

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who is to convey and deliver them to the Constable of the next Place, with the Pass, taking a Receipt for the same on the Back of the Certificate. And the second Constable, &c. is to apply to another Justice, who is to cause such Rogue to be whipped, or sent to the House of Correction, and afterwards order him to be conveyed with the same, and a new Certificate to the next County or Precinct, &c.

N. B. No Constable, &c. is obliged to receive such Rogue, unless it appear he hath been whipped, &c. except as in the Act.

Ibid. Sect. 18.

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mer, to be levied by Distress, &c. on Warrant of one Justice.

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May examine Constables and Officers on Oath, touching such Conveying, &c. and to whom he delivered the Person conveyed.

Ibid. Sect. 19.

May send to the House of Correction to hard Labour a Rogue, who, being passed, *ut supra*, refuseth to work, or undertake some Service, or Employment in the Parish, or Place, where conveyed.

Ibid. Sect. 20.

Penalties.

Refusing to be examined, or neglecting their Duty, they forfeit the Sums intitled to by the Certificate.

And if the Parish shall not employ him, but encourage, or voluntarily permit him to escape, the Charge of Re-apprehending him, &c. may be computed and levied one Justice's Warrant on the Constables, Churchwardens, &c. of the said Parish by Distress, &c.

Note ; If the Parish in Default be in another County, the said Justice's Warrant (ascertaining the Charge) is to be brought to a Justice of that County, who is to levy it, *ut supra*, to be paid for the Benefit of the County, or Place, where the Charge was ; and the Constables, &c. on whom levied, may

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may put the same in their Rates, to be allowed by the Inhabitants of the Parish, or Place in Default.

Ibid.

A Rogue conveyed and passed, as aforesaid, and again wandering, &c. one Justice may on Proof thereof.

Ibid.

Send him to the House of Correction, to hard Labour, till the Quarter-Sessions.

Vide post.

A Vagrant having no legal Settlement, or found a common Beggar for 2 Years, or a dangerous and incorrigible Rogue.

By Confession, or one Witness.

Stat. 12 Ann. Sess. 2. c. 23. Sect. 21.

Constables, &c. on Complaint of two Inhabitants, may remove loose, idle, and disorderly Persons, Blind, Lame, &c. from

May be bound an Apprentice for seven Years, and the Master may send him to the Plantations, &c. but must give a Recognisance, not to sell him to any Alien.

An Appeal lies to the Quarter-Sessions.

And if they refuse to depart, or offend a second Time, may (by a Justice's Warrant) cause them to be whipped until bloody.

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from Begging in the Streets, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 24.

Constables, &c. neglecting or refusing so to do, or causing to be done; on Oath thereof within 24 Hours, by two Witnesses, before one Justice.

Ibid.

Masters or Commanders of Ships, bringing from *Ireland*, *Isles of Jersey, Guernsey, Sicily* or *Plantations*, any Rogue Vagabond, or Beggar, being born there, and wandering, begging, or disordering himself here.

Note; The Constable, &c. where found wandering, &c. may apprehend him, and cause

Penalties.

Forfeit 10 s. to the Poor, to be levied by such Justice's Warrant by Distress, &c.

Vide infra.

Forfeits 5 l. for every Rogue, &c. so brought, besides the Charges of Apprehending and Reconveying; both which the Justice, on the Constable's Oath of the *Quantum*, &c. is by Order under Hand and Seal to direct to be paid; and if not paid on Demand, by like Warrant to levy it by Distress, &c. of the Ship, or Goods therein,

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cause him to be whip'd, and reconveyed.

Ibid. Sect. 27.

Penalties.

therein, while within his Jurisdiction.

Note ; If the Ship be gone out of the Justice's Jurisdiction, the said Order may be removed by *Certiorari*, and filed in B. R. and the Judges there are to direct Process for Arresting the Ship, until the Money mentioned in the Order, and the Charge of the Process are fully satisfied, or else levy the said Money by *Capias*, *Fi. Fa.* or *Elegit*, against the said Master or Owner. But such Order may be travers'd on giving Security of 50*l.* to answer the Costs and Charges, if determined against him.

Ibid.

Masters of Ships bound for *Ireland*, or Isles aforesaid, may by a Justice's Warrant be compelled to take on Board, and convey thither such Vagrants named in the Warrant, as have been settled there, the Constable, &c. who serves

Refusing to receive on Board, or to transport such Vagrant, or to endorse, and sign such Receipt, forfeits 50*l.* to the Poor, to be levied by Distress or Sale of the Ship, or Goods therein, by Warrant of a Justice, returning

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serves the Warrant, paying him so much for each Vagrant, as the Quarter-Sessions shall appoint; and the Master to sign a Receipt for the Money paid, and Vagrants delivered, on Back of the Warrant, which being produced to the Justice, who made it, and he allowing the same under his Hand, the Money so paid shall be repaid by the County in such Manner, as by this Act the Money for Conveying Vagrants from County to County is to be paid.

Stat. 12 Ann. Sess.
2. c. 23 Sect. 29.

Constables and other Officers failing of their Duty, or being remiss or negligent therein, or any other

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ning the *Overplus* after the said Penalty and Charges of Levying paid.

Forfeit for every such Offence 20s. to the Poor, to be levied by Distress and Sale of Goods on a Justice's

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Offences.

Penalties.

other disturbing or hindring the Execution of this Act; or rescuing any Person apprehended; or assisting his Escape, and convicted by View of the Justice, or one Witness.

Stat. 12 Ann. Sess. 2. c. 23. Sect. 30.

[Two] Persons running away, and leaving their Charge to the Parish.

Stat. 7 Jac. 1. c. 4. Sect. 8.

Two Witnesses.

Persons, who threaten to run away, and leave their Charge to the Parish.

Ibid.

Two Witnesses.

Justice's Warrant, returning the Overplus after the Penalty and Charges of Distress.

To be punished as incorrigible Rogues.

To be sent to the House of Correction, there to be punish'd as sturdy Rogues (unless they put in sufficient Sureties, to discharge the Parish) and not to be delivered, but at a Meeting

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| ing of the Justices,
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Note ; All Fines set by Virtue of Stat. 7 Jac. 1. c. 4. are to be paid to, and accounted for, by the Treasurer of the County.
Stat. 7 Jac. 1. c. 4. Sect. 9.

Two or more to meet before every Quarter-Sessions, and by Warrant to command the Constables of every Hundred (who shall be assisted with sufficient Men) to make a general *privy Search* in one Night thro' their several Limits for *Rogues and Vagrants*, and to bring them before any one Justice.

12 Ann. Sess. 2. c. 23. Sect. 3.

[*Qu. Sess.*] At Easter Sessions yearly, to ascertain and set down the several Rates, that shall for the Year ensuing be allowed for Maintaining, Conveying and Carrying of Vagrants, and Copies to be delivered to the Justices by the Clerk of the Peace *gratis*.

Stat. 1 Ann. Sess. 2. c. 13. Sect. 6.

To take Care about raising Monies for passing Vagrants, as Monies are raised for Repair of County-Bridges, and to see the Money applied ; but no Order to be made
for

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Penalties.

for Payment, till the *Treasurer* has Money in his Hands.

Stat. 5 *Ann.* c. 32. Sect. 2.

To order a dangerous and incorrigible Rogue to be whip'd three Market-Days, and then recommitted to the House of Correction, or Gaol, to hard Labour, for what Time they think meet. And *Note* ; A voluntarily Escape afterwards out of the said House or Gaol, is *Felony*.

Stat. 12 *Ann.* Sess. 2, c. 23. Sect. 9.

To appoint Rates or Allowances *per Mile* for passing Rogues, &c. and to make other Orders and Directions therein, at Discretion.

Stat. 12 *Ann.* Sess. 2. c. 23. Sect. 15.

To raise Money for that Purpose, as for County Gaols and Bridges, to be paid quarterly to the chief Constables, so as they have a quarterly Payment before-hand, who are to account half-yearly, and pay Petty Constables, &c. such Rates, as are allowed them by a Justice's Certificate.

Ibid. Sect. 16.

May

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May enquire and punish Defaults or Neglects of Officers, &c. of any Parish or Place, to which a Rogue shall be brought, in permitting or encouraging their Escape or Departure, after they they are pass'd thither.

Ibid. Sect. 21.

Penalties.

May adjudge such, as wander after they are so conveyed and passed, and sent to the House of Correction, dangerous and incorrigible Rogues, and order them to be punished accordingly, if they cannot give Security for their Good Behaviour for a Year, to be approved by the Sessions.

12 *Ann.* Sess. 2. c. 23. Sect. 21.

A Person adjudged a Vagrant, or common Beggar for two Years, or an incorrigible Rogue, or bound Apprentice, or ordered to be sent to the *Plantations*, may appeal to the Quarter-Sessions, and their Determination to be final.

Stat. 12 *Ann.* Sess. 2. c. 23. Sect. 23.

To appoint Rates for Masters of Ships, for recovering Rogues, &c. brought from Ireland, Isles of *Man*, *Fersey*, *Guernsey*, *Scilly*, or *Plantations*, at so much an Head for each; and also like Rates for conveying Vagrants

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Penalties.

Vagrants to *Ireland*, or the said Islands, if their last Settlement was there.

Ibid. Sect. 29.

Vellum and Parchment.

[One] **T**O take the *Affidavit* of the Maker of *Paper, Vellum, Parchment* and *Paste-board*, what the Value of the same is, for which he is to pay 20*l.* per Cent. Tax.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 7.

[Two] Where Complaint is made by Owner of any *Papers, Parchment, Vellum*, or *Paste-board*, that the same hath been seised for any Offence against the Act 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 7. they are to summon Witnesses, and examine the Cause of the Seisure upon Oath, and to hear and determine the Matter between the Owner and the Seisor.

Ibid.

Complaint must be made in eight Days after the Seisure is made.

Note; An Appeal lies to the Quarter-Sessions.

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Offences. Under-Sheriffs. Penalties.

[*Two*] **E**Very Under-Sheriff before he intermeddles with his Office, not taking the Oath of Supremacy, and also the following Oath.

Stat. 27 Eliz. c. 12.
Sect. 2. Quor. 1.

Forfeits 40 Pounds, to be divided between the King and the Prosecutor, and treble Damages to the Party grieved, if he commits any Act contrary to his Duty.

IA. B. will not use, nor exercise the Office of Under-Sheriff corruptly, during the Time that I shall remain therein; neither shall or will accept, receive, or take by any Colour, Means or Device whatsoever, or consent to the Taking of any Manner of Fee or Reward of any Person or Persons, for the Impanelling or Return of any Inquest, Jury, or Tales, in any Court of Record for the King, or betwixt Party and Party, above two Shillings, or the Value thereof; and such Fees as are allowed and appointed for the same by the Laws and Statutes of this Realm, but will according to my Power, truly and indifferently, with convenient Speed impanel all Jurors, and return all such Writ or Writs touching the same, as shall appertain to be done by my Duty or Office, during the Time I shall remain in the said Office.

So help me God.

Offences. Under Sheriffs. Penalties.

Bailiffs of Franchises,
Deputies, or Clerk of a
Sheriff, or Under-Sheriff,
intermeddling
with their several
Offices, before they
have taken the said
Oaths.

Ibid.

Forfeit 40 Pounds,
ut supra.

[Qu. Sess.] Have Power to hear and determine the Defaults and Offences aforesaid.

Ibid.

See Sheriffs.

Wages.

[Tw] **G**ivers of greater Wages, than are set by the Justices in Easter Sessions yearly.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 4.
Sect. 18.

Takers of more Wages, than are set by the Justices.

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 4.
Sect. 19.

Five Pounds, and ten Days Imprisonment, without Bail.

One and twenty Days Imprisonment, without Bail.

To

Offences.

Wages.

Penalties.

To hear and determine all Wages, Demands, Frauds, and Defaults of Labourers in the *Woollen, Linen, Fustian, Cotton, and Iron Manufactures*, for, or concerning any Work done in the same Manufactures.

Stat. 1 *Ann.* Sess. 2. c. 18. Sect. 4.

Witnesses to be summoned. An Appeal lies to the Quarter-Sessions.

Vide Tit. *Clothiers, Servants, &c.*

Wages of the Knights of the Shire.

[Qu. Sess.] *Sheriffs, Coroners, Chief Constables, and Bailiffs*, not being present at Assessing the Wages of Knights of the Shire, which is 4s. a Day.

Stat. 23 *H. 6.* c. 11. Sect. 1.

Forty Shillings.

The Sheriff, or other Officer, who levies more, than is assessed for the Knights of the Shires Wages.

Stat. 23 *H. 6.* c. 11. Sect. 1.

Twenty Pounds to the King, 10 Pounds to the Prosecutor.

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Penalties.

Tilages of Burgesſes.

[**T**W] To tax every City and Borough in the ſeveral Counties in *Wales*, where they inhabited reſpectively, towards the Wages of the Burgeſſes, which is 2 s. a Day.

Stat. 35 H. 8. c. 11. Sect. 4.

Waggon and Waggoners.

[**D**IST] **T** Ravel-
ling
with *Waggon*, *Wain*,
Cart, or *Carriage*, with
above ſix Horſes Ox-
en, or Beaſts.

Stat. 6 Ann. c. 29.
Sect. 3.

This extends not
to ſuch as carry Hay,
Straw, Corn, Coal,
Chalk, Timber, Ma-
terials for Building,
Stone of all Sorts,
Ammunition or Ar-
tillery.

Five Pounds, to be
levied by Diſtreſs and
Sale of any of the
ſaid Beaſts, in three
Days.

One Moiety to the
Highways, the other
Moiety to the Pro-
ſecutor, ſo as he be
an Inhabitant of the
Town, Village, or
Place.

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Any Person, or Persons may discover and prosecute Persons drawing with more than six Horses, &c. contrary to Stat. 6 Ann. c. 29. and seise and distrain all or any the Horse, &c. the same to be delivered to the Surveyors of the Highways, or other Officer of the Place, where, &c. and if the five Pounds be not paid in three Days, the Distress to be sold, and the Money to be delivered to the Justice, to be distributed, as by the said Act is directed.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 18. Sect. 1.

Persons refusing or neglecting to carry Horse, &c. distrained for Driving with above 6 Horses, to the Surveyor, or other Parish Officer.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 18. Sect. 2.

Twenty Pounds, to be levied by Distress and Sale; for Want of Distress, to be committed to the common Gaol, till Payment.

One Moiety to the Informer, the other to be laid out in the Repair of the Highways.

Surveyors of the Highways, or other Parish Officer, refusing, or neglecting to

Twenty Pounds, to be levied and disposed, *ut supra*.

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to deliver the Sum of Money, or Penalty by him received, to the Justice.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 13.
Sect. 2

Persons employed by any Carrier, or other Person subject to the Penalties in the said Acts of 6 and 9 Ann. driving, or assisting in the Driving, with more than six Horses, &c.

Stat. 9 Ann. c. 18.
Sect. 3.

No travelling Waggon, Wain, Cart, or Carriage, wherein Goods shall be carried, other than according to the Stat. 6 Ann. c. 29. to be drawn, or go in any publick Highway or Road, with above 5 Horses, Oxen, or Beasts, at Length.

Stat.

Five Pounds, to be levied and disposed, *ut supra*.

Upon the like Forfeitures, in the 6 Ann. c. 29. or in the 9 Ann.

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Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c.
11. Sect. 1.

Carter, Drayman, Carman, Waggoner or other Person, riding in any Cart, &c. not having another on Foot to guide it in the Streets of London and Westminster, Southwark, or other Streets within the Bills of Mortality.

One Witness.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. Sess.
2. c. 57. Sect. 8.

No Waggon travelling for Hire shall go, or be drawn with more than six Horses, either at Length, or in Pairs, or sideways.

Stat. 5 Geo. 1. c.
12. Sect. 1.

Penalties.

Forfeit 10 s. to be levied by Distress and Sale.

One Moiety to the Informer, the other to the Poor of the Parish, where, &c.

In Default of Payment to be committed to the House of Correction, for three Days to hard Labour.

Owner or Driver forfeits all the Horses above six, and all Geers, Bridles, &c. to the Use of the Person, who shall seize the same.

The Horse, or Horses, or other Thing so seized or distrained, to be delivered to the

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Constable, or other Parish Officer of the Place where, &c. till Proof upon Oath be made before some Justice of the Offence, who is to issue his Precept to such Constable, &c. to deliver the Horse or Horses so forfeited, to the Person, who seised or distrained the same, and to allow reasonable Charges for keeping and securing the Horse, &c.

5 Geo. 1. c. 12. Sect. 2.

No Cart travelling for Hire, shall go, or be drawn with more than three Horses.

5 Geo. 1. c. 12. Sect. 1.

No Waggon travelling for Hire, having the Weels bound with Streaks, or Tire of less Breadth than two Inches and an Half, when worn; or being set or fastened on with Rose-headed Nails, shall go or be drawn with more than three Horses.

5 Geo.

Owner, or Driver, forfeits all the Horses above three, and all Geers, &c. and to be seised, distrained, and applied, *ut supra*.

Forfeits, *ut supra*.

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Offences.

5 Geo. 1. c. 12. Sect.

3.

Persons hindring, or with Force attempting to hinder, or obstruct the Seizures, &c. made by Virtue of this Act, or who shall rescue, or use any Violence to Persons concerned in making such Seizure, &c.

5 Geo. 1. c. 12. Sect.

4.

One Witness.

Penalties.

To be committed to the common Gaol for three Months, without Bail or Mainprize.

And also forfeit 10 Pounds for every Offence.

To be levied by Distress and Sale, if the Penalty be not paid within three Days.

Note; This Act extends not to Waggon, Wains, Carts, or Carriages, employed in and about Husbandry, or manuring Land, and carrying of Cheese, Butter, Hay, Straw, Corn unthreshed, Coals, Chalk, or any one Tree, or Piece of Timber, or any one Stone, or Block of Marble, Carravans, and covered Carriages of Noblemen and Gentlemen, for their own private Use, or Timber, Ammunition, or Artillery for the King's Use.

5 Geo 1. c. 12. Sect. 5.

Waggon and Waggoners.

Offences.

Persons carrying at any one Load, in the Cities of *London* and *Westminster*, or within ten Miles thereof, in *Waggons* or *Carts*, having their Wheels shed or bound with Tire or Streaks of Iron, more than 12 Sacks of Meal, each containing 5 Bushels, and no more; nor more than 12 Quarters of Malt, nor more than seven hundred and an Half of Bricks; nor more than one Chaldron of Coals.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 6. Sect. 1.

One Witness.

[Two] Persons refusing to provide *Carriages* for the King for ready Money tendered, or refusing to appear.

Stat.

Penalties.

Forfeit one of the Horses, together with the Geers, Bridles, &c. to any Person, that shall seise or distress the same: In such Manner, and to such Uses as the Penalties and Forfeitures are to be levied and applied by the Stat. 5 Geo. 1. c. 12.

Forty Shillings, to be levied by Distress and Sale.

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Penalties.

Stat. 13 Car. 2. c. 8. 1
 Sect. 2.
 — 1 Jac. 2. c.
 10. Sect. 2.
 — 5 & 6 W. &
 M. c. 22.
 Constable's Oath,
 or two Witnesses.

Upon Notice by Warrant from the Lord High Admiral, or two principal Officers, or Commissioners of the Navy, or Master, or Lieutenant of the Ordnance, of what *Carriages are required for the King*, they are to issue Warrants to Places, not 12 Miles distant from the Place of Landing, to send sufficient Carriages, at 1*s.* a Mile, for every Tun of Timber, and 8*d.* a Mile for all other Provisions.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 20. Sect. 1.

Persons refusing, neglecting, or delaying to find the Carriages above mentioned.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car. 2. c. 20. Sect. 3.

Twenty Shillings to be levied by Distress and Sale.

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Oath of the Constable, or other Officer, or two Witnesses.

Waggoners, or Carriers, taking more for Land - Carriage of Goods, than the Justices have assessed.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 24.

Prosecution in six Months.

Five Pounds, to be levied by Distress and Sale, for the Use of the Party grieved.

[Qu. Sess.] To assess yearly at Easter-Sessions, within their Jurisdiction, the Prices of Land-Carriage of Goods, by Waggoner or Carrier.

Stat. 3 & 4 W. & M. c. 12. Sect. 24

Warren. See Tir. Game.

Watchman.

[Twc] **T**O certify that a Watchman, or other Person, endeavouring to apprehend a Burglar, or House breaker, was killed, which entitles the Executors or Admi-

Offences. **Watchman.** *Penalties.*

Administrators of the Person killed to forty Pounds.

Stat. 5 Ann. c. 31. Sect. 2.

Watermen, &c.

[One] **N**ONE who keep, use, or work, any Boat, Barge, &c. carrying Passengers or Goods for Hire, between *Gravesend* and *Windsor*, to take or employ any Apprentice or Servant, unless a Housekeeper, or one having some known Habitation or Place of Abode, where he may receive and entertain such Apprentice, &c. which Place, &c. he is to register with the Clerk of the Company, and so on every Removal. And the taking or employing an Apprentice or Servant otherwise.

Stat.

Forfeits 10*l.* on Conviction before the Lord Mayor or one Justice of *London* or County where the Offender is found, on Oath of two Witnesses; levied by Distress, &c. on Warrant of the Lord Mayor or one Justice, or committed to the next Workhouse to Labour, not less than 14 Days, or above a Month.

Offences. Watermen, &c. Penalties.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c.
26. Sect. 1.

Clerk of the said Company, on Application, is to register such Habitation or Place of Abode, and so on every Removal without Fee or Reward; and if he refuses, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 1.

And Waterman, Wherryman, or Lighterman, neglecting or refusing so to register their Habitation or Place, or Removal, as aforesaid, on Application to the Rulers of the Company.

Ibid. Sect. 1.

No such Apprentice to be entrusted with the sole Care of any Boat or Vessel, till 16 Years of Age, if a Waterman's

Ten Pounds, to be levied and applied as *infra*

Sect. 9 & 10.

Their Apprentices to be turned over to other Masters

Ten Shillings on the Master for every Offence; to be levied and applied as *infra*.

Sect. 9 & 10.

Offences. Watermen, &c. Penalties.

man's Son, and 17,
if the Son of a Land-
man.

Ibid. Sect. 2.

On Breach of any
the Orders and Con-
stitutions made by the
Rulers for good Go-
vernment of Water-
men, &c. (appro-
ved by a Court of
Mayor and Alder-
men, and confirmed
by the Lord Chief
Justice of B. R.) If
sufficient Distress can-
not be found, then
on Oath thereof be-
fore the Lord May-
or, or any one Ju-
stice where the Of-
fender is found.

Ibid. Sect. 3.

None but such as
have served 7 Years
to a Waterman or
Lighterman (except
Trinity-men, Fisher-
men, Ballast-men, or
such as work West-
ern-

Commitment to a
Workhouse, &c. to
Labour not less than
14 Days, nor above
a Month, if convict-
ed according to this
Act, or that of 11
& 12 W. 3. touching
Watermen, &c.

Ten Pounds, to be
levied and recover'd
ut ante for Commit-
ment, &c. *ut supra.*

Offences. Watermen, &c. Penalties.

ern Barges, Mill-
Boats, Chalk-Hoys,
&c. allowed by the
said Act 11 & 12 W.
3.) to row or cause
to be rowed or work-
ed any Boat or Vef-
sel, within the said
Limits for Hire.

Ibid. Sect. 4.

The Assistants of the said Company to be
reduced to Thirty. *Ibid.* Sect. 5.

The Act not to prejudice the Lord of the
Manor of *Gravesend*, nor the Inhabitants of
Gravesend and *Milton*, as to the Passage and
Ferry on the *Thames*. And Owners of the
Keys between *Hermitage-Bridge* and *London-
Bridge*, may use their large Crafts as before.
Ibid. Sect. 5, 6 & 7.

All Penalties and Forfeitures on this Act
to be sued for, &c. by the Rulers of the
said Company, or any two of them, as is
directed by the said Act 11 & 12 W. 3.
and when recovered or levied, paid to
them, to be distributed for the Use of the
Poor of the said Company, as their Rulers
think fit. And all Prosecutions for Penal-
ties, &c. to be within a Month after the
Offence.

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Ofences. Watermen, &c. Penalties.

All Constables and Headboroughs to assist in Execution of the Act. Actions, &c. relating to the Water-Service, or Government of the Company, &c. to be in thirty Days after the Fact. General Issue pleadable; treble Costs on Nonsuits, Discontinuances, or Judgments for Defendants: To be a publick Act, and judicially taken Notice of by all Judges, Justices, &c. *Ibid.* Sect. 9 & 10.

Ways. See Highway.

Weights and Measures.

[*One*] **O**NE selling, buying, or keeping any Weight, or Measure, which is not according to the Standard of the *Exchequer*.

Stat. 16 Car. 1. c. 19. Sect. 2.

One Witness.

Five Shillings for the Poor, to be levied by Distress and Sale; in Default of Distress, to be committed, till Payment.

[*Two*] Clerk of the Market, or any other Officer, who seals any Weight or Measure, not

Five Pounds for the Poor, to be levied, *ut supra*.

Weights and Measures.

Offences.

Penalties.

not agreeable to the Standard, or refusing to seal such, as are agreeable thereto.

Stat. 16 Car. 1. c. 19. Sect. 4.

One Witness.

If they take any other Fine, Fee, Reward, or Sum of Money, than are allowed by Statute or ancient Custom, for Signing or Examining Weights and Measures, or otherwise misdemean themselves.

Stat. 16 Car. 1. c. 19. Sect. 5.

One Witness.

Selling Corn or Salt by other Bushel, or Measure, than according to the Standard struck even by the Brim. Stat.

First Offence 5*l*.
second 10*l*. and 20*l*.
for every other, for
the Poor, to be levied,
ut supra.

Forty Shillings, to
be levied by Distress
and Sale.

Weights and Measures.

Offences.

Stat. 22 Car. 2. c.
8. Sect. 2.

Selling or buying Corn without Measuring, or in other Manner, than according to 22 Car. 2. c. 8. and that without shaking the Measure by the Buyer.

Stat. 22 & 23 Car.
2. c. 12. Sect. 2.

The Sub-Commissioners, or Collectors of the Excise, not providing or procuring within their respective Circuits, or Divisions, a substantial Ale Quart, and Ale pint, *Winchester* Measure.

Stat. 11 & 12 W.
3. c. 15. Sect. 3.

The Mayor or Chief Officer of every City, Town Corporate, Borough,
or

Penalties.

Besides the Penalties of the former Act, all the Corn or Salt, or the Value thereof, forfeited to the Person complaining.

Five Pounds, to be levied and employ'd, *ut supra*.

Five Pounds, to be levied and employ'd, *ut supra*.

Weights and Measures.

Offences.

Penalties.

or Market-Town,
neglecting, or refus-
ing, upon Request
to him made, to
stamp and mark Ale-
Quarr, and Ale-Pint.

Stat. 11 & 12 W.

3. c. 15. Sect. 5.

One or more Wit-
nesses.

Prosecution to be
within 30 Days.

Note; This Act extends not to the Uni-
versities, by Stat. 12 & 12 W. 3. c. 11.
Sect. 19.

Selling in any o-
ther Water-Mea-
than is according to

Stat. 1 Ann. Sess.

1. c. 15. Sect. 1.

One Witness.

Note; This extends
not to London.

[Two] Persons buy-
ing and selling with
any

Ten Shillings, to
be levied by Distress
and Sale.

One Half to the
Informer, the other
to the Poor.

First Offence 6s.
8d. Second 13 s. 4d.
and

Weights and Measures.

Offences.

any other Weights and Measures, than such as are marked, except on Shipboard.

Stat. 11 H. 7. c. 4.
Sect. 12.

Quor 1.

[*Qu. Sess.*] The King's Purveyor, or any other buying or taking any Corn by any other Measure, than 8 Bushels stricken for the Quarter.

Stat. 1 H. 5. c. 10.
Sect. 2.

Importing or making any Tun of Wine less than 252 Gallons *English* Measure, the Pipe 126, the Barrel of Herrings and Eels 30 Gallons, the Butt of Salmon 84 Gallons.

Stat. 2 H. 6. c. 11. Sect. 3, 4.

Every

Penalties.

and Pillory; and the Weights and Measures to be broke, and burnt.

Five Pounds to the King, and as much to the Party griev'd, and a Year's Imprisonment.

Forfeits the Commodities therein contained to the Lord of the Town, where they are found; the Prosecutor to have the fourth Part.

The

Weights and Measures.

Offences.

Every City, Borough, and Town within *England*, that has not a common Balance, with common Weights sealed, according to the Standard of the *Exchequer*, at the Costs of the City, &c. in the Keeping of the Head Officer, or Constable there.

Stat. 8 H. 6. c. 5.
Sec. 9.

In every City, Borough, and Town, there shall be a common Bushel sealed.

Stat. 11 H. 6. c. 8.
Sec. 10.

Penalties.

The City forfeits 10*l.* to the King, the Borough 5*l.* and every other Town 40*s.* The Inhabitants to weigh *gratis*. Foreigners to pay for under 40*lb.* a Farthing; for between 40 and 100*lb.* a Halfpenny; for between 100 and 1000*lb.* one Penny, towards Maintaining the Weights.

Restrain'd to Market-Towns, by

Stat. 11 H. 7. c. 4.

Upon the Penalties in 8 H. 6. c. 8.

Measures and Weights of Brass shall be sent to every City and Borough, there to be kept, as their Treasure, according to which

Weights and Measures.

Offences.

Penalties.

which all Measures and Weights in every County shall be reformed.

Stat. 11 H. 7. c. 4.

The Mayor, or Chief Officer, in Cities and Boroughs, shall have a special Mark, wherewith he shall seal the Measures and Weights, and shall take for Sealing a Bushel one Penny, every other Measure an Halfpenny; 100 Weight one Penny, Half 100 an Half penny, every less Weight a Farthing. Refusing or delaying to Seal, or doing any Thing contrary to

Forty Shillings, to be divided between the King and the Party grieved.

Stat. 11 H. 7. c. 4.

Justices of the Quarter-Sessions are to give in Charge the Statute for ascertaining the Measures of Ale and Beer.

Stat. 11 & 12 W. 3. c. 15. Sect. 9.

Offences. Westminster. Penalties.

[Special Sess.] **C**onstables, Church-wardens, and Vestry-men in *Westminster* and *Weekly Bills* on 26 of *December* yearly, to make Lists of a competent Number of Inhabitants to be returned in ten Days after, to two or more Justices at a Special Sessions.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 11. Sect. 1.

The said Justices to give Notice two Days before, of holding such Sessions; and then by their Warrant appoint two or more out of the said Lists, to be Surveyors of the Streets, &c. *Ibid.*

Constables, Head-boroughs or Beadles, within six Days after to give Notice to the Persons so appointed, by serving them with the said Warrant, or leaving a Copy at their House, &c. And if the Party so appointed and served, refuse or neglect to execute the said Office.

Stat.

Twenty Pounds, leviable by Distress, by Warrant of two Justices, on Oath of one Witness, payable to such as shall act as Surveyors, and applied by such Justices Order, for the Uses of the Act.

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Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c.
11. Sect. 1.

And on Refusal or
Death of a Survey-
or, the Justices to
appoint others, who
neglecting or refus-
ing, forfeit

Twenty Pounds in
like Manner.

And Constables or
Churchwardens, not
returning Lists, &c.
Ibid. Sect. 1.

Ten Pounds in like
Manner.

Surveyors so ap-
pointed, within ten
Days after their ac-
cepting the Office,
(and so every six
Weeks after, if the
Justices at a Special
Sessions think fit) to
view all Streets,
Lanes, and Alleys,
within their Parish
or Division; and make
Return thereof in
Writing on Oath,
to a * *Special Sessions*,
to be held the Week
preceding the Gene-
ral

* *Note*; The Ju-
stices are to hold
such Special Sessions
on Pain of 5*l.* on
each Justice. *Ibid.*

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ral Quarter-Sessions,
or General Sessions,
with the Names of
all Inhabitants, Land-
lords, &c. whose
Pavements are out
of Repair. And such
special Sessions shall
examine the Errors
and Mistakes of such
Return, which when
Settled, any two of
them shall present,
under their Hands
and Seals, to the
next General Sessi-
ons for *Westminster* or
Middlesex, respective-
ly in *English* thus:
viz.

*A Presentment of the Surveyors of the Streets
for the Parish, Division, or Place of ———, made
to us and other Justices of the Peace assembled
in a Special Sessions, in Pursuance of an Act of
Parliament for better paving and cleansing the
Streets in the City and Liberty of Westminster,
and other Places within the Weekly Bills of
Mortality, in the County of Middlesex, on
the ——— Day of ———, in the Year of
our Lord ———, which Presentment we have
examined on Oath, and do approve of, and do re-
turn to this Court of Sessions. Ibid, Sect. 2.*

Westminster.

Note; It is sufficient, in such Presentment, to insert only the Christian and Sur-name of such whole Pavements are out of Repair, with the Names of the Streets or Places, and the Contents of the Pavement.

And Surveyors and Justices are in like Manner to present Nuisances or Obstructions, relating to the cleansing or paving the Streets. And such Presentments, under two Justices Hands and Seals, is of equal Force with that on View by two Justices, of a Highway out of Repair. And the General Sessions are to proceed thereon, as by the Laws relating to Highways. *Ibid.* Sect. 3.

[Two Just.] Surveyors (if two Justices think fit, &c.) may cause publick Notice in the Parish-Church, after Morning-Service or Sermon, by the Parson or Clerk, of all Defaults and Neglects in Repairing the Streets, and of the Defaulters Names, &c. And if not amended in twenty Days after, may cause them to be amended, and shall be re-imburshed by him who ought to have done it; and if he on Demand, refuse or neglect to pay it, the Surveyors on Application to a Justice of that District, and making Oath of his Charges, shall be paid

Offences. **Westminster.** *Penalties.*
all such Charges as shall be allowed by such
Justice. *Ibid.* Sect. 4.

Also the Surveyors are to pave or repair
before empty or unoccupied Houses, gi-
ving an Account to the next Special Sessi-
ons of such as require to be *new paved*; and
if the Justices there think it fit, the Sur-
veyor is to see it done forthwith. And the
Charge of Repairing or new Paving to be
settled by two Justices in Special Sessions,
with such Recompence to the Surveyor for
his Trouble, Loss of Time, and Disbursing
his Money, as they think fit.

And what they allow is to be levi-
ed on the next Tenant or Occupier (by
Distress and Sale, on Warrant of two Ju-
stices) who may deduct it out of his Rent.
And if such House be burnt or pull'd down,
it may be levied on the Materials, or on
the Tenant, or Occupier, when rebuilt. *Ibid.*
Sect. 5.

A Surveyor neg-
lecting his Duty re-
quired by this Act.
Ibid. Sect. 6.

Forty Shillings for
every Offence, to be
levied in a Month
after, and paid and
disposed, *ut supra*.

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Offences. **Westminster.** Penalties.

A Justice of Peace
so neglecting or re-
fusing.

Ibid. Sect. 7.

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cutor, the other to
the Uses in the Act.
To be sued for at
Westminster, within 6
Weeks after the Of-
fence. *Q.*

Where Justices on View or Presentment,
find any Irregularity or Damage in Pave-
ments, by laying or amending Water-
pipes, they may order the Surveyors or
Inhabitants to amend it, to be repayed by
the Proprietors of such Water-works; and
if not repayed on Demand, the said Ju-
stices, or two of them, (on Oath of the
Premises) are to levy the Expences, &c.
of the Goods and Chattels on any of the
Chief Officers, Treasurers, Cashiers, Col-
lectors, or Pavers of such Water-works,
with the Charges of Distress, &c. *Ibid.*
Sect. 8.

[One Just.] If any Justice of *Westminster*
or *Middlesex*, at such Special Sessions, shall
in Writing signed, make Presentment on
his View, of any Offence within this Act,
it shall have the Force of a Return, by a
Surveyor, *ut supra*. And such Sessions or
Adjournment thereof, are to proceed there-

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on accordingly. And Justices are to take all possible Care to cause the said Pavements to be reduced to a proper Level, &c. as soon as may be. *Ibid.* Sect. 9.

[Two Just.] All Laws in Force for cleansing, &c. the Streets in *Westminster*, and *Weekly Bills*, to be observed, especially all Clauses, &c. in the Stat. 2 *W. & M.* and 8 & 9 *W.* 3. to be put in Execution by any two Justices in their respective Limits, as far as consistent herewith. *Ibid.* Sect. 10.

And Scavengers; Rakers, &c. to lay in Heaps all the Dirt in the severat Streets, Ways, and Passages in their respective Divisions, and carry the same away.

Ibid. Sect. 10.

Forty Shillings for every Neglect, to be levied and disposed, *ut supra.*

This Act not to extend to any of the Royal Palaces, or *St. James's Square*. *Ibid.* Sect. 11.

Such Special Sessions, held *ut supra*, may allow Surveyors not exceeding 8*l.* *per Annu* payable out of the Scavengers Rates. And the

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the Clerk of the Peace, or his Deputy, &c. shall not ask or receive any Fee or Reward for any thing done in Pursuance of the A&t. *Ibid.* Sect. 12.

Oxford-Street, Cavendish-Square, and all the Streets and Passages now, or hereafter in *Marybone-Fields*, to be within this and the said A&ts, 2 *W. & M.* and 3 & 9 *W.* 5. *Ibid.* Sect. 13.

This A&t to continue for three Years from 4 *Junii* 1729. and to the End of the next Session. Declared a Publick A&t, and General Issue pleadable, &c. And if the Plaintiff be Nonsuit, Discontinue, or Verdict against him, or Judgment on Demurrer, the Defendant to have treble Costs, &c. *Ibid.* Sect. 14.

See also Tit. *Highway* and *Scavenger*.

White Herrings. Vide *Salt*.

Wild fowl. See Tit. *Game*.

<i>Offences.</i>	Windows.	<i>Penalties.</i>
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[Two] **T**O put in Execution the Statute of 7 & 8 W. 3. for laying a Duty on Houses; and also 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 20. and 1 Ann. c. 13. and 5 Ann. c. 13. and 7 Ann. c. 7. concerning the same Duty.
Stat. 8 Ann. c. 4.

[Three] May annually appoint two such Persons, as they shall think able and responsible, to be Collectors of the Duties on Houses, whether their Names be or be not presented by the preceding Collectors.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 21. Sect. 59.

Where there shall be any Arrears of the Duty on Houses, by the Failure of any Collector, for which any Parish or Place shall be answerable, to cause such Arrears to be raised by Re-assessment, and to be paid to the Receiver General, or into the Exchequer.

Ibid.

To be levied by such Ways and Means, as the Duties on Houses are raised and levied.

Offences.

Wood.

Penalties.

[One] **P**ersons suspected for having or conveying any *Wood*, *Under-wood*, *Poles* or *young Trees*, *Bark* or *Bast of Trees*, or any *Gates*, *Stiles*, *Posts*, *Pales*, *Rails*, *Hedge-wood*, *Broom* or *Furze* found by a Search-Warrant, and can give no good Account how they came by the same; or if they do not, in convenient Time, produce the Person, of whom they bought the same, or some Witness to prove Sale on Oath, Constables or any other Person may apprehend them.

Stat. 15 Car. 2. c. 2.
Sect. 3.

See 43 Eliz. c. 7.
in Tit. *Orchards*.

First Offence, Convicts within 43 Eliz. c. 7. and accordingly punished; and shall make such Recompence, and in such Time, as Justice shall appoint; and a Sum not exceeding 10*s*. as Justice shall direct for the Poor; in Default to be committed to the House of Correction, not to exceed a Month, or be whipped.

Second Offence, to be sent to the House of Correction for a Month, to be kept to hard Labour.

Third, to be deemed incorrigible Rogues.

Offences.	Wood.	Penalties.
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Maliciously setting on Fire, or burning Wood, Under-wood, or Coppice.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c. 48. Sect. 4.

Felony, &c.

[*Imo*] When appointed by the Sessions, shall summon twelve Commoners to set out the fourth Part of Woods, or Coppices, where they have Common, for the Lord, Owner of the Soil, to fell, or cut down.

Stat. 35 H. 8. c. 17. Sect. 17.

If any Person shall either *by Day or Night*, maliciously and in a clandestine and private Manner, cut, take, destroy, break, throw down, bark, pluck up, burn, deface, spoil, or carry away any Wood-Springs, or Springs of Wood, Trees, Poles, Wood, Tops of Trees, Under-woods, or Coppice-woods, Thorns, or Quicksets, without the Con-

Lords of Manors, Owners and Proprietors, that are damaged, shall recover such Damages against the Parish, as the Stat. 13 Ed. 1. directs, if the Parish do not convict the Offender in six Months.

Offences.

Wood.

Penalties.

Consent of the Owner, or Person entrusted with the Care and Custody thereof, or shall break open, throw down, level, or destroy any Hedges, Gates, Posts, Stiles, Railings, Walls, Fences, Dikes, Ditches, Banks, or other Inclosures of Woods, Wood-grounds, Parks Chases, or Coppices, Plantations, Timber-Trees, Fruit-Trees, or other Trees, Thorns, or Quicksets.

Stat. 6 Geo. I. c. 16. Sect. 1.

May upon Complaint of any Inhabitant of the Parish, where Wood, Wood-Springs, &c. are in a riotous, open, tumultuous, or in a secret and clandestine Manner, forcibly or wrongfully,
and

Liable to the Penalties and Punishments in the

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. Sect. 2. c. 48.

*Offences:***Wood.***Penalties.*

and without Consent of the Proprietor, &c. cut down, destroyed, broke, bark'd, thrown down, burned, took, defaced, spoiled, or carried away: Or where any Hedges, Gates, Posts, Stiles, Rails, Fences, Ditches, Banks, or Inclosures are maliciously broke open, thrown down, levell'd, or destroyed, cause Offenders to be apprehended; and if convicted.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 16. Sect. 2.

Or Justices in open Sessions, upon Complaint of any Inhabitant of the Parish where Timber, Trees, &c. are maliciously cut, &c. may cause the Offenders to be apprehended, and finally hear, determine, and adjudge

Commit them to the House of Correction to hard Labour, for three Months, without Bail; and to be whipt once a Month in the next Market-Town, on the Market-Day, between 11 and 2. And nor
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ies.

Offences.

Wool.

Penalties.

adjudge such Offenders; and after Conviction.

Stat. 1 Geo. 1. c.
48. Sect. 2.

to be discharg'd, till Security given for their Good Behaviour for two Years.

Sect. 3.

Where there is no House of Correction, to be committed to the common Gaol for four Months, and to be whip'd by the common Hangman once a Month.

Wool.

[Q. S.] **P**ersons pressing together with Scrues, Presses, or other Engines into any Sack, Bag, &c. or putting or pressing any Wool, or Yarn made of Wool, into any Cask or Vessel, or causing to be laid near the Shoar, or Coasts of the Sea, or any navigable River; or into

Forfeit the same, or to the Value, to be divided between the King and the Prosecutor.

Offences.

Wool.

Penalties.

into any House or Place adjoining, any Wool, Wool-fells, or Yarn made of Wool, to export the same.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car.
2. c. 18. Sect. 7.

Conveying of Packs Bags, or Casks of Wool, &c. to or from any Place in England, &c. but at seasonable Times, viz. from March 1 to September 29, between the Hours of 4 in the Morning, and 8 in the Evening; and from September 29 to March 1, between 7 in the Morning and 5 in the Evening.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car.
2. c. 18. Sect. 9.

The Transportati-
on or Conveying the
Wool, &c. mention'd
in

Stat.

The Loss of all
such Goods, or the
Value, to be divi-
ded, *ut supra*.

A common Nu-
sance.

Offences.

Wool.

Penalties.

Stat. 13 & 14 Car. |
2. c. 18. Sect. 11. |

See Tit. Cloth.

Words spoke against the Queen's Title.

[One] **T**O take the Information of Words spoken against the Queen's Title to the Crown, &c. in three Days after they were spoken, but not after.

Stat. 4 Ann. c. 8. Sect. 3.

6 Ann. c. 7. Sect. 3.

Two Witnesses.

Wozk. See Tit. Woz and Wazabonds.

Wozkmen. See Tit. Harbest Wozkmen.

Wrecks.

[One] **O**wner of, or Captain, Master, Mariner, or other Officer, belonging to any Ship, who shall wilfully cast away, burn, or

To suffer Death.

<i>Offences.</i>	<i>Weeks.</i>	<i>Penalties.</i>
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or otherwise destroy the Ship, of which he is the Owner, or to which he belongeth, or in any Wise directing or procuring the same to be done, if to the Prejudice of Persons under writing Policies of Insurance, or Merchants loading Goods thereon.

Stat. 4 Geo. 1. c. 12. Sect. 3.

Note ; The Stat. 12 Ann. Sess. 2. c. 18. enforced and made perpetual by 4 Geo. 1. c. 12. Sect. 1.

See Ships.

Wrought Plate.

[Dnf] **E**VERY Officer for the Duties on *Wrought Plate* or Manufactures of Silver, who shall be impowered to make a Charge on the Maker or Worker of Plate, &c. shall in the first Place be sworn for the due and faithful Execution of his Office by any Justice of the Peace, who shall give such Officer a Certificate thereof.

Stat. 6 Geo. 1. c. 11. Sect. 11.

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Mutiny and Desertion ACT,
2 Geo. 2. c. 2. as far as it con-
cerns Justices of the Peace.

Officers and Soldiers.

[One] **W**ithin 48 Hours after any Mu-
ster made, (where the May-
or, Chief Magistrate, or other Officer, to
whom Notice was given to be present at
such Muster, shall not have attended) to
swear the Commissary or Muster-Master,
who must then produce the Muster-Roll to
be examined by the Justice, who must sign
the same, if there be no sufficient Objection
thereto.

Stat. 2 Geo. 2. c. 2. Sect. 11.

Muster-

Officers and Soldiers.

Offences.

Muste - Masters ,
not giving such No-
tice, or refusing the
Assistance of such
Mayor, Chief Ma-
gistrate, &c.

Ibid. Sect. 11.

Any Person, that
shall be falsly mu-
stered, or offer him-
self falsly or deceit-
fully to be mustered.

Two Witnesses be-
fore the next Justice,
and Certificate un-
der the Hand of the
Commissary of the
Musters.

Ibid. Sect. 12.

Any Person, who
shall wittingly or wil-
lingly lend or furnish
any Horse to be mu-
stered, which shall
not truly belong to
the Trooper or
Troop so mustered.

Two Witnesses be-
fore the next Justice.

Ibid.

Penalties.

Forfeit 50 l.

To be committed
to the House of
Correction for ten
Days.

The Horse so fals-
ly mustered is forfeit-
ed to the Informer,
if it belongs to the
Person lending the
same. If not, the
Person lending for-
feits 20 Pounds to
the Informer.

To

Officers and Soldiers.

Offences.

Penalties.

Ibid. Sect. 12 & 13.

To be levied by
Order of the Court-
Marshal; or Com-
mitment to Gaol for
six Months.

In Default or Absence of Constables, Ti-
thingmen, &c. to quarter and billet *Officers*
and *Soldiers* in Inns, Livery-Stables, Ale-
houses, Victualling-houses, all Houses of
Persons selling Brandy, Strong Waters, and
Cyder or *Metheglin* by Retail, except Di-
stillers and private Houses.

Ibid. Sect. 18.

Persons aggrieved by Constables, &c.
quartering a greater Number of Soldiers,
than they ought to bear in Proportion to
their Neighbours, on Complaint one Ju-
stice may order such and so many of the
Soldiers to be removed, and quartered up-
on such Person, as he shall see Cause, who
is obliged to receive such Soldiers.

Ibid. Sect. 18.

Vide infra Sect. 53.

To order Constables by Warrant to pro-
vide Carriages with able Men to drive the
same for Soldiers in their Marches.

Ibid. Sect. 29.

Note ;

Officers and Soldiers.

Offences.

Penalties.

Note; Officers are to pay down in Hand to Constables, for the Use of the Person providing such Carriages and Men, *One Shilling* for every Mile any Waggon with five Horses shall travel; *One Shilling* for every Wain with six Oxen, or four Oxen and two Horses, and Nine-pence for every Cart with four Horses, and in Proportion for less Carriages.

Ibid. Sect. 29.

And no Carriage is to carry above twenty hundred Weight.

Ibid. Sect. 33.

Constables, &c. who shall quarter any of the Wives, Children, or Maid Servants of Officers and Soldiers against the Owner's Consent.

Ibid. Sect. 35.

Twenty Shillings to the Party griev'd. To be levied by Distress, &c.

Officers and Soldiers without Leave of the Lord of the Manor under Hand and Seal, killing, taking or destroying any Hare, Coney, Phea-

If an Officer, he forfeits five Pounds to the Poor, where, &c.

And twenty Shillings every Soldier, to be paid by the Officer

Officers and Soldiers.

Offences.

Pheasant, Partridge, Pigeon, or any other Sort of Fowls, Poultry, or Fish, or his Majesty's Game.

One Witness.

Ibid. Sect. 36.

To cause *wandering Soldiers* suspected of *Desertion* to be apprehended, and to examine them. And if by Confession, Oath of one Witness, or Knowledge of the Justice, he is found a listed Soldier, and ought to be with his Company.

Ibid. Sect. 38.

Penalties.

Officer commanding in Chief to Constable or Overseer of the Poor, in two Days after Demand, on Forfeiture of his Commission.

To convey him to the Gaol of the County or Place, and transmit an Account thereof to the Secretary at War for the Time being.

Note ; There is a Reward of twenty Shillings for Apprehending a Deserter, to be paid (by a Justice's Warrant) by the Collectors of the Land-Tax where apprehended.

Ibid. Sect. 39.

Persons

Officers and Soldiers.

Offences.

Persons harbouring or concealing *Deserters* knowingly, or buying, exchanging or otherwise receiving from any Soldier or *Deforter* Arms, Cloths, Caps or other Furniture belonging to the King, or causing the Colour of their Clothes to be changed.

One Witness.

Ibid. Sect. 40.

Commission Officer forcibly entering into, or breaking open the Dwelling or Outhouses of any Person, to search for *Deserters*, not having a Justice's Warrant.

Ibid. Sect. 41.

High Constables and Beadles, &c. who shall receive, demand,

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Forfeit five Pounds, to be levied by Distress, &c.

One Moiety to the Informer, by whose Means such *Deforter* was apprehended.

The other to the Officer, to whom he belonged.

Forfeits 20*l.*

Not less than 40*l.* or above five Pounds for every Offence.

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demand, contract or agree for any Sum of Money, or any Reward whatsoever to excuse any from quartering Soldiers ; or Victuallers refusing Soldiers quartered or billeted upon them.

Confession, or one Witness.

Ibid. Sect. 53, 54.

Penalties.

To be levied by Distress and Sale, by Warrant directed to some other Constable of that County or Overseer, where the Offence is committed, to be paid to the Overseers for the Use of the Poor.

May require and command, by Warrant or Order under Hand, and Seal High Constables, &c. who shall quarter or billet Soldiers, to give an Account in Writing of the Number of Officers and Soldiers quarter'd or billeted by them, and on whom, with the Streets and Signs where, the better to punish Abuses in Billetting,

Ibid. Sect. 55.

[Two] Military Officers quartering Soldiers otherwise, than is limited and allowed by the said Acts, or shall use or offer any Menace or Compulsion to any Mayors, Constables, &c. tending to deter them from

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from performing their Duty, being thereof convicted on Oath of two Witnesses, are deemed cashiered and disabled to have any military Employment in the Kingdom, provided such Conviction be affirmed at the next Quarter-Sessions, and a Certificate transmitted to the Judge Advocate, and by him to the Court Marshal.

Ibid. Sect. 18.

No Commissary to muster any Regiment, Troop or Company in *Westminster* and *Southwark* or their Liberties, but in the Presence of two or more Justices (not Officers) unless such Justices on 48 Hours Notice to six Justices residing within the City and Liberties aforesaid respectively, shall neglect to attend such Muster.

Ibid. Sect. 26.

On Pain of being disabled and cashiered.

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In Case of Neglect, *Commissary* may proceed to muster such Regiment, &c. provided Oath be made before a Justice within 48 Hours after such Muster taken, that such Notice was given to six Justices.

Ibid. Sect. 26. See Sect. 11.

Justices attending to sign Muster-Rolls, and to take Cognisance of the Muster, and to examine the Truth thereof before they sign the same.

Ibid. Sect. 27.

Note ; Constables, &c. may billet the Officers and Soldiers of his Majesty's Foot-Guards in *Westminster* and Places adjacent.

Ibid. Sect. 27.

Military Officers forcing Waggon, &c. to travel more than one Day's Journey, not discharging them in due Time for their Return home, or shall suffer or connive at Soldiers, Servants, or Women (except the Sick) riding in Waggon, &c.

or

For every Offence five Pounds.

The Proof to be before two Justices, who are to certify to the Paymaster General of his Majesty's Forces under Hand and Seal, who is to deduct it out of such Officers Pay.

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or forcing any Constable by threatening or menacing Words to provide Saddle-Horses for themselves, or Servants, or shall force Horses from their Owners.

Ibid. Sect. 30.

High Constables and Petty Constables not executing the Justice's Warrant for providing Carriages, or Persons appointed by them, refusing to provide Carriages and Men, or hindering the Execution of such Warrant.

Ibid. Sect. 31.

Commanding Officer wilfully neglecting or refusing upon Application to deliver

Forfeits for every Offence not exceeding 40s. nor less than 20s. to the Poor of the Place where.

To be levied by Distress, &c.

To be cashiered and disabled to hold any Military Employment, provided the

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deliver up any Officer, Non-Commission Officer, or Soldier, accused of any capital Crime, or of any Violence, or Offence, to the Civil Magistrate, or to aid and assist the Officers of Justice in apprehending such Offender.

Two Witnesses.

Ibid. Sect. 47.

Penalties.

the Conviction be affirmed at the next Qu. Sessions and Certificate thereof be transmitted to the Judge-Advocate, and by him to the Court-Marshal.

[Qu. Sess.] Officers and Soldiers quarter'd and billeted, as aforesaid, to pay such reasonable Prices for all necessary Provisions to Owners of Inns, &c. as shall be appointed from Time to Time by the Justices at their General or Quarter-Sessions of each County, City, &c. for one or more Nights.

Ibid. Sect. 20.

Upon Complaint to the next Qu. Sess. of Officers, not giving Notice to Innkeepers, &c. of Sub-sistence-Money in
2 their

Sessions to certify the Sum due, and the Persons, to whom the same is owing, to the Paymaster of his Majesty's Guards
and

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their Hands, and not
paying the same.

Two Witnesses.

Ibid. Sect. 25.

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and Garrisons, which
if not paid, Officer
is disabled, and to
be cashiered.

From Time to Time to make Orders up-
on the *Treasurer of the County* for paying
Constables, &c. such reasonable Sums by
them laid out for Soldiers Carriages (with-
out Fee or Reward) over and above what
is received by them of the Officer requir-
ing such Carriages.

Ibid. Sect. 32.

Note ; The Sessions may raise Money for
it as for County Gaols and Bridges.

Ibid. Sect. 33.

Note ; No Justice of Peace having any
Military Command, is to be concerned in
Billeting or Quartering of Soldiers.

2 Geo. 2. c. 2. Sect. 19.

And the Justices Power to discharge Sol-
diers arrested, is now vested in the Judges.

Note ; These Acts do constantly Expire every
Year, and therefore the last Act is always only
to be regarded.

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